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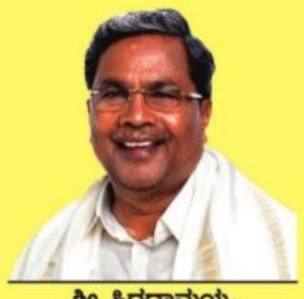
MRF STOCK HITS ₹1 LAKH PRICE MARK

Tyre maker MRF on Tuesday reached a new milestone as its stock hit Rs 1 lakh mark during the day. The stock went up to Rs 1,00,300 — also its 52-week high level — on the BSE during the day. Shares of the company ended at Rs 99,950.65, a gain of 1.02 per cent. In intra-day, it climbed 1.37 per cent to Rs 1,00,300. MRF commands one of the highest price quotations on the exchanges | P13



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Dorsey claims India threatened to shut Twitter

Govt denies allegations, says it violated laws

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ New Delhi

IN a sensational allegation, Twitter co-founder and former CEO **Jack Dorsey** said the Indian government threatened to shut down the social media platform during the farmers' protest in 2020 and 2021.

Dorsey, who quit as Twitter CEO in 2021, also alleged that the Indian government threatened the company with raids on its employees if it did not take down posts and restrict accounts that were critical of the government. He made the revelations in an interview.

Vehemently denying the accusations, Minister of State for IT Rajeev Chandrasekhar said Twitter under Dorsey had a problem accepting the sovereignty of Indian law. Taking to Twitter, the minister said the platform repeatedly violated law from 2020 to 2022 and it was only in June 2022 when it finally complied.

"No one went to jail nor was Twitter shut down. Dorsey's Twitter regime behaved as if the laws of India did not apply to it. India as a sovereign nation has the right to ensure that its laws are followed by all companies operating in India," the minister tweeted. He said during the farmers' protest, there was a lot of misinformation on the social media platform, which had the potential to further inflame the situation.

Information Broadcasting Minister Anurag Thakur said Dorsey is trying to cover up his misdeeds, adding the Twitter's own internal communications had exposed how the platform was misused.

Opposition parties quickly latched on to Dorsey's comments with the Congress saying when the farmers were protesting, the Centre was trying to suppress this news.

"BJP leads in embarrassing the country.... We will continue to foil BJP's conspiracy to end democracy in the country," said Congress president Mallikarjun Kharge.

"Opposition voices are regularly being suppressed by the government," said Congress spokesperson Supriya Shrinate.

I promise you (Karnataka State NPS Employees' Association) to bring back OPS. I want you to ensure that my government's five guarantees reach the beneficiaries

Siddaramaiah, Chief Minister

INDUSTRIES OPPOSE HIKE IN POWER TARIFF

Members of 32 district chambers of commerce and 200 other trade bodies held a meeting on Tuesday opposing the power tariff hike. "We have a meeting with Power Minister KJ George. He has assured us to discuss the matter with the CM. After that, the next course of action will be decided," said the FKCCI president. | P4

WILL BRING BACK OLD PENSION SCHEME: CM

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CHIEF Minister Siddaramaiah on Tuesday promised to bring back the Old Pension Scheme (OPS) and said that a decision in this regard will be taken at the next cabinet meeting. He is likely to announce the same in the State Budget on July 7.

Members of the Karnataka State NPS Employees' Association met Siddaramaiah and appealed to him to bring back OPS.

Siddaramaiah promised them that OPS will be brought back. He asked them to work towards the successful implementation of the five guarantees of his government.

Senior Congress leader VS Ugrappa said the New Pension Scheme (NPS) came into being on April 1, 2006. In all, 2.98 lakh employees come under this scheme. Their pension money has been deposited with NSDL which will be given at the time of their retirement. He urged the CM to bring back OPS.

Karnataka State NPS Employees' Association president Shantaram Tej too explained that in Rajasthan and Chattisgarh, NPS has been scrapped.

Karnataka should also scrap NPS. The pension money deposited till now can be utilised by the government to implement development works. Of the Rs 19 crore deposited, Rs 9 crore is employees' share which they can convert into general provident fund and the government's share of Rs 10 crore can be utilised to implement development works, he added.

Guarantees barrier to pay panel recommendations?

With the state government struggling to arrange revenues for its five guarantees, another challenge it may face in implementing the Seventh Pay Commission recommendations.

The commission is expected to submit its report in next few weeks, recommending a pay increase for government employees and it could cause an additional burden of Rs 12,000 crore on the state exchequer | P4

WFI ELECTION

TO BE HELD ON JULY 6

Retired Chief Justice of the J&K High Court MM Kumar issued a notice for polls on Tuesday. The family members of outgoing WFI President Brij Bhushan Sharan Singh will not contest the federation elections despite eligibility, said sources | P15

EXPRESS READ

82 properties of Reddy to be attached

Bengaluru: A special court passed an order to attach 82 properties of former minister G Janardhan Reddy and his wife G Lakshmi Aruna, over illegal mining, till disposal of criminal proceedings pending against him | P4

4 dead as chemical tanker explodes

Pune: Four people were killed and three injured when a chemical-laden tanker caught fire following an accident and exploded on Pune-Mumbai Expressway on Tuesday. Three of the dead were motorists on the road.

K'taka boy secures 5th rank in NEET-UG

KAVITA BAJELI-DATT
@ New Delhi/Bengaluru

DHRUV Advani from Karnataka secured the 5th rank in the NEET-UG exams whose results were announced on Tuesday. Advani scored with 99.30% with 715/720.

Tamil Nadu's Prabanjan J and Andhra Pradesh's Bora Varun Chakravarthi topped the NEET-UG exams with 99.99 percentile scores. Both scored 720 on 720 marks.

The third position was also bagged by a Tamil Nadu boy, Kaustav Bauri. He scored 716 marks with a 99.999068 percentile score.

The sixth and ninth positions, too, went to Tamil Nadu boys — Surya Siddharth N and Varun S, who were among the top 10 on the merit list.

Among the girls, Pranjal Aggarwal from Punjab topped the list with 715 marks. She stood fourth in the all-India rank list. Ashika Aggarwal, also from Punjab, followed with 715. Her AIR is 11. The third position among girl toppers was bagged by Arya R S from Kerala with 711 marks.

Delhi girl Mimansha Moun bagged the fourth position among the top 20 girls.

Woman walks into police stn with mom's body in a bag

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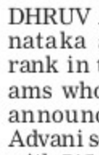
PERSONNEL at MICO Layout Police Station were quite surprised to see a woman walk into the station with a trolley bag. But there was a bigger shock waiting for them when she opened the bag that had the body of an elderly woman stuffed inside it. The woman, **Sonali Sen** (39), is from West Bengal, who till recently practised as a physiotherapist in the city. The body was that of her 71-year-old mother Biva Pal.



Sonali, her husband, their son -- who suffers from a mental illness, her mother and mother-in-law had been living in an apartment at Bilekahalli in MICO Layout for the last six years. After the death of her father, who was a retired West Bengal government employee, Sonali brought her mother to live with her. P3

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• Gulikakala: 09:00 am to 10:30 am • Yamaganda: 03:00 am to 04:30 am

WEATHER
MIN 22°C | MAX 32°C
FORECAST Mostly cloudy

Sunrise 5.53 am
Sunset 6.46 pm
Moonrise 2.38 am
Moonset 3.27 pm

WHITEFIELD KADUGODI STATION

Metro to cut short run time after track extension

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TO ensure a faster run of the Metro to Whitefield Kadugodi station, Bengaluru Metro has decided to extend the tracks beyond the station by an additional 500 metres. This would bring down the time of 4.5 minutes taken at present for a Metro train from Hopefarm Channasandra Metro Station to Kadugodi to 1.5 minutes, said Bangalore Metro Rail Corporation Limited (BMRCL) Managing Director Anjum Parwez.

Speaking to *TNIE* after a BMRCL board meeting on Tuesday, the MD said at present, only one platform of Kadugodi Station was being utilised.

"Since trains are not able to turn at the station here, the engine is reversed and the same platform is being utilised. We decided to extend the tracks beyond the station so that a turn can be taken from the left, just before the railway line, and the train can enter the parallel track. The board gave its approval today." This would ensure a much faster run for all trains in future from K R Pura to Whitefield Kadugodi, he added.

The tracks of Whitefield Kadugodi station will be extended by 500 meters beyond the station | EXPRESS

"Both the platforms at Kadugodi can be put to use. The reduction of travel time on one journey by three minutes, from the existing 4.5 minutes to 1.5 minutes, is significant saving of time," he added.

A top Metro official said this move would facilitate running of trains within a 2-3 minute frequency during peak hours, which figures in the long-term plans of BMRCL. "Trains ply at a slow speed after they depart from Channasandra, and this extension of tracks will help us maintain a regular speed, as done during the regular ride," he said.

Metro officials reiterated that the K R Pura to Baiyappanahalli stretch would be ready by July-end.

DKS LISTS HIS PRIORITIES FOR B'LURU

Gets to work on traffic, administration, garbage management

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Bengaluru

BENGALURU Development Minister DK Shivakumar on Tuesday said his priorities are traffic, administration and garbage management.

Speaking to the media after a meeting with officials from various departments at Bengaluru Development Authority (BDA) head office, Shivakumar, who is also Deputy Chief Minister, promised that suggestions of globally recognised experts and citizens will be sought to solve the city's traffic congestion problem.

Bengaluru Development Minister DK Shivakumar looks at a presentation on the traffic menace at Hebbal junction in Bengaluru on Tuesday | NAGARAJA GADEKAL

The minister contended that Bengaluru should progress even more and for this all suggestions were welcome. He added that he was looking for a comprehensive development of the city, including Public Works Department, National Highway Authority of India and Bengaluru Metro Rail Corporation Limited. "We started a review from Hebbal. More attention should be paid to the traffic congestion problem of Bengaluru, especially in this part," said Shivakumar.

Officials from NHAI, BDA and Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) made a presentation at Hebbal junction and held discussions on construction of a 63-km tunnel road, short-haul and long-haul flyover with a vision to improve the traffic situation, focussing for the next 25 years.

The minister also informed that he will hold two meetings on this -- one with citizens and another with experts who are concerned for Bengaluru. He has put in place a committee (BBMP restructuring), headed by former chief secretary BS Patil and former BBMP commissioner H Siddaiah in this regard.

Shivakumar inspected the major canal near Hebbal Ring Road to check the removal of silt and wanted to know where the silt was being dumped.

When asked if there was an obstacle to the widening of the Hebbal flyover and whether there is any opposition from BMRCL, he said, "There is no opposition. I am checking with officials from other agencies as well. Our aim is to do quality work."

Asked whether the traffic problem will increase if the work starts in Hebbal, he said, "Metro work is being done only at nights. We are also discussing with police officials to allow the work to be done quickly. The traffic on the flyover will not stop even for a minute. We will do the work so that there is no traffic jam on and below the Hebbal Flyover. We will ensure that there is no traffic jam," he said.

'Go after owners of trucks dumping debris on roads'

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

TAKING strong objection to dumping of construction debris along roads and on vacant sites in the city, Deputy Chief Minister DK Shivakumar on Tuesday directed the officials to act against owners and drivers of trucks and tractors involved in the menace.

Addressing reporters here, Shivakumar, who also holds Bengaluru Development portfolio, said the authorities should not ignore this menace which mars the beauty of Bengaluru. The minister said that he will hold a separate meeting with the office-bearers of the Lorry Owners' Association to address the issue.

"The police should impose heavy fines on errant truck and tractor owners. Besides, the owners of such vehicles in Bengaluru should register their names at the jurisdictional police stations," Shivakumar said. "We will soon launch a drive against dumping of construction debris in the city," the minister said.

An official from the BBMP Solid Waste Management Department said that drivers of over 300 tractors and trucks have been penalised for dumping construction debris along roads and on vacant residential sites in the city following a direction from the deputy chief minister.

Some lorry owners had argued with BBMP officials that they would take up the matter with Shivakumar. They claimed that construction waste is not being dumped on roads and vacant sites by their drivers and cleaners, and blamed it on tractor drivers, the official said.

GR Shanmugappa, president of the Federation of Karnataka Lorry Owners and Agents' Association, said the association will adhere to the instructions of the government. "We have been told to dump construction debris 20 km away from the city and at designated locations," he added.

575 DRIVERS FINED

According to the Palike, drivers of 575 trucks and tractors were penalised between May 31 and June 12 for dumping construction debris along roads and fines amounting Rs 4.10 lakh were collected.

Desilting work in progress at a stormwater drain near Hebbal Ring Road. Dy CM DK Shivakumar and top BDA and BBMP officials inspected the work during their tour of the city on Tuesday | NAGARAJA GADEKAL

SHIVAKUMAR PROPOSES TUNNELS TO REDUCE TRAFFIC

Bengaluru: Bengaluru Development Minister D K Shivakumar on Tuesday proposed construction of tunnels to ease road traffic in the city. He asked Bengaluru Metro and BBMP officials to explore this option when he visited KR Puram junction on an inspection. After hearing about the steps being taken to reduce congestion at KR Puram and Tin Factory junction, he wanted this option to be explored. "The minister was proposing a tunnel running to a length of 3 km below this jam-packed junction," said an official present at the spot. A similar suggestion of easing road traffic by diverting traffic through tunnels was made by Shivakumar when he conducted a review meet at the BDA head office last week.

Lends ear to Pourakarmikas

During inspection, Shivakumar met a few BBMP Pourakarmikas and asked them about issues they are facing and promised to resolve them.

Power war

When asked about former CM Basavaraj Bommai's statement that the BJP government did not increase power tariff, Shivakumar retorted, "Bommai spoke in sorrow. Why should I be upset about it? We have all the rates and documents."

EXPRESS READ

Brigade Foundation to set up two hospitals

Bengaluru: Brigade Foundation, a not-for-profit initiative of Brigade Group, announced on Tuesday that it is setting up two not-for-profit, 100-bed hospitals in association with St John's Medical College Hospital. One hospital will be located at Brigade Meadows, a 60-acre development on Kanakapura Road, while the second hospital will be set up at Brigade El-Dorado, a 50-acre development at Aero Park in North Bengaluru. The hospitals are expected to commence operations in 2024 and 2025, respectively. ENS

Lorry owners meet DyCM, complain of harassment by BBMP marshals

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Bengaluru

Representatives of Karnataka State Road Transport and Earthmovers' Association met Deputy Chief Minister DK Shivakumar on Tuesday and alleged that they are being harassed by BBMP marshals who slap them with hefty fines for transporting construction debris and other waste.

In their letter to Shivakumar, who is also Bengaluru Development Minister, the association members said at a time when they are struggling to cope with losses incurred during the Covid lockdown, BBMP marshals are slapping fines starting from Rs 2,500 up to Rs 10,000 even if their lorries follow all the rules.

"Tipper lorries carry construction debris, bricks, concrete and sand among other materials in the city. These construction debris are used to fill up lands and level sites after getting verbal consent from landowners," said Ravikumar, association president, in the letter.

He added that construction debris are not dumped illegally on any public place or road. "Just for the reason that some tippers are violating the law by dumping debris on the roadside, it is not fair to slap fines on all tippers," he said.

"We are struggling to earn Rs 2,000-Rs 3,000 a day by working round the clock and the marshals are slapping fines according to their whims and fancies. If we pay all the money we earn as fine, then how are we supposed to pay the drivers' salary, vehicle tax, vehicle insurance and maintain the vehicle?" the representatives questioned.

They requested Shivakumar's intervention to save tipper owners and drivers from harassment and direct marshals to slap fines only when there is a violation.

BDA to collect betterment charges in KG Layout

S LALITHA @Bengaluru

THE Bangalore Development Authority has started the much delayed process of collecting betterment charges from landowners of 827 acres of land in Nadaprabhu Kempegowda Layout (NPKL). It has sent out notices this week to owners to pay up the charges within a 90-day period.

The decision to levy this one-time fee on land initially notified for acquisition, but later dropped during the formation of the layout was taken in April 2019 to mobilise revenue for the authority. The fee aims to charge owners for the overall infrastructure provided in the neighbourhood which boosts their property value.

A major arterial road passing through Nadaprabhu Kempegowda Layout

The previous government had approved the proposal in 2019, but technical issues and the pandemic ensured that the collection process never started. It was officially notified on April 20, 2023.

A Soujanya, Deputy Commissioner, Land Acquisitions Cell, BDA, told TNIE, "We have levied a fee of Rs 80,208 for one gunta of land in NPKL under Section (20) of the BDA Act. For one acre, it works out to a little over 32 lakh. Owners will be given a 90-day time period to pay up these charges from the date the notice was issued."

BDA plans to collect Rs 265 crore from 357 stakeholders here, she added. "The layout is being built on 4,043 acres of land and these 827 acres mentioned in the preliminary notification were dropped in the final notification," the DC said.

Tenders finalised

In other significant developments, most of the land acquisition hurdles to complete the 100-metre wide Main Arterial Road running through the layout have been removed and it is being built at a rapid pace. The BDA has also finalised two major tenders pertaining to infrastructure work and the final approval from the board is awaited, said a senior official. The tender to connect over 50 approach roads from the nine blocks of the layout to the 10.75-km MAR which runs through the layout linking Magadi Road and Mysuru Road.

The lowest bidder has quoted Rs 43 crore. The tender for the 40-metre wide road under bridge below Challaghatta railway line on Mysuru Road has been finalised for Rs 46 crore.

Daily Starscope

PETER VIDAL

14th June: Wednesday is special to the planet Mercury in many traditions, so it's said to be a fine time for all Mercurial matters, and that includes everything to do with communication, education and travel. On the other hand, in Myanmar only Wednesday morning is Mercurial. In that case, we'd better get everything tied up by noon.

ARIES (Mar 21 - Apr. 20)
You will do extremely well if you make improvements in partnerships your goal now and over the next seven days. Your plans will be all the more successful if you are careful to involve others from the outset. Also, if you let associates into a secret, you'll probably get some very good advice indeed.

TAURUS (Apr. 21 - May 21)
Don't be deceived by what may be a relatively quiet start to the day. Mercury in an awkward aspect with Mars will keep you on the go, especially at work. If you are prepared for friction in purely routine affairs, you'll be able to turn it to positive advantage.

GEMINI (May 22 - June 21)
It seems likely that tempers may fray, and one cause of irritation - as far as you are concerned - could be money. As the days pass the pressures on you to deal with urgent problems will increase, so beware of complacency. If you let things slide, others will step in and take control.

CANCER (June 22 - July 23)
Financial pressures should take your attention, even though what is on the agenda may be no more than the need to deal with ordinary family and domestic spending. It's just a question of getting everything settled as soon as you can. Just concentrate on one thing at a time - that's all it takes!

LEO (July 24 - Aug. 23)
You still seem to be in control, even though it will frequently feel as if you're being driven by your emotions. The secret is to realise that what you feel about other people is very much more to do with you than with them. That's an interesting thought, and could change your entire view about what you've been doing with your life.

VIRGO (Aug. 24 - Sept. 23)
After all the emotional stress of recent times, you might now be expecting the roof to cave in. However, as long as you take the initiative at home, partners will be quite happy to let you run things your way. Mind you, do you really want to take charge? You'll soon find out!

LIBRA (Sept. 24 - Oct. 23)
You're a diplomat, and your habit of keeping unpleasant facts to yourself is often a help. But, right now, with Mercury aligned with your sign, it may be a hindrance if there is information which other people are waiting to hear. You just have to find the right words.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24 - Nov. 22)
For the third day in succession your personal ambitions should take first place. Other people cannot reasonably expect you to settle for second best, although by the end of the week conditions will have changed to the point where compromise is acceptable.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23 - Dec. 22)
According to your solar chart family relationships have been taken for granted too often. It is time you got on with home improvements because if you don't, nobody else will. If parents or older relations wish to force the pace, let them. And if younger people don't like it, you'll have to put them straight.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23 - Jan. 20)
There could be a change of scene very soon, perhaps causing you to abandon your normal schedule. Ideas and suggestions that are put to you by friends will be well worth pursuing in the short term, even if you feel that they're probably not right for you in the long run.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 - Feb. 19)
You are used to mysteries but, with any luck, an outstanding question will be cleared up before long. If you've been pressing ahead with plans in secret, now is the time to reveal all, before others find out for themselves. Make sure you get your story in first.

PISCES (Feb. 20 - Mar 20)
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Solutions to Yesterday's puzzle

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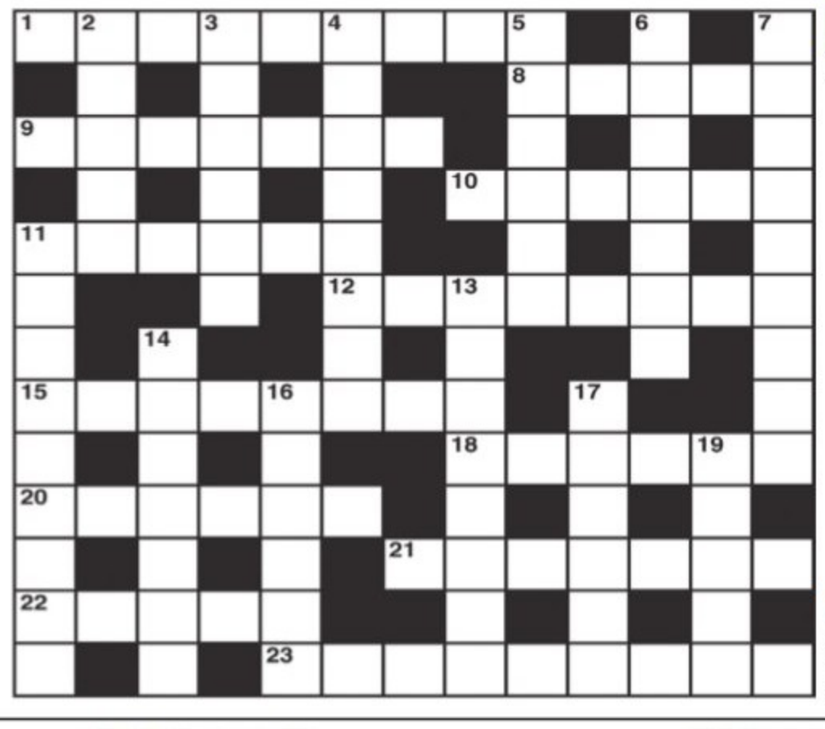

CROSS WORD

ACROSS
1 Horse swallows mixed grain and fat (9)
8 Broken bone I set for a woman in tears (5)
9 Nurse is disturbed at dawn (7)
10 Gift for producing story book in abbreviated form (6)
11 Timber and some large stones for facing walls (6)
12 Nevertheless last (5,3)
15 I can head this way for the ranch (8)
18 Pretty well heading north and in good time (6)
20 Close, so ran back to have an argument (6)
21 Ardent Olympian getting a look in (7)
22 Sign I'm back before sunset? (5)
23 I can act it out, being one who plans the moves (9)

DOWN
2 A torn stub joins at the sides (5)
3 Go round in improvised glider (6)
4 Control shown as others fall (8)
5 To occupy oneself, start to fight (6)
6 Goes with any sort of floral tribute (7)
7 Good breeding quality (9)
11 Many cheer the reformation of Satan (4-5)
13 A cross-section of the church (8)
14 Achieving success with the orchestration (7)
16 He doesn't think much of others (6)
17 Pungently tasting cigar, perhaps about a pound (6)
19 She has a fatal aura of fascination about her (5)

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTIONS

Across: 1 Proteus, 4 Break, 7 Unto, 8 Arsonist, 10 Steady wind, 12 Shamed, 13 Proofs, 15 Monogamist, 18 Crossing, 19 Visa, 20 Scrap, 21 Engines.

Down: 1 Plums, 2 On the way, 3 Sprawl, 4 Brown bread, 5 Evil, 6 Ketches, 9 Idle gossip, 11 Dominion, 12 Seances, 14 Bounce, 16 Thais, 17 Moor.

JUMBLE

UNSCRAMBLE THESE JUMBLES, ONE LETTER TO EACH SQUARE, TO FORM FOUR ORDINARY WORDS.

BY DAVID L. HOYT AND JEFF KNUREK

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Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

Ans. here:

(Answers tomorrow)

Yesterday's Jumbles: ANNEX MAUVE PLACID FLORAL
Answer: Compared to the square and rectangle, the arrogant triangle thought its shape was — UNPARALLELED

A 10-year-old boy was run over by a KSRTC bus in Malavalli Town in Mandya district on Tuesday. The victim, Vinay, a native of Sadholalu village, was riding his bicycle to his school when a KSRTC bus hit him near Mahadeshwara Samudaya Bhavan. Vinay came under the wheels of the bus and died on the spot

Sonali needs psychiatric assessment: Experts

She may have reached a 'breaking point' before committing crime

BALA CHAUHAN @Bengaluru

IS Sonali Sen, the 39-year-old woman who allegedly killed her mother, packed the body in a suitcase and surrendered before police, a criminal or a victim of compelling circumstances?

Some mental health experts who spoke to TNIE, said Sen may have reached a 'breaking point' before she allegedly committed the crime. She has a son with mental illness and was living with her husband and two elderly, warring women.

"Firstly, the police need to investigate whether Sonali is the real accused or if she is covering up for someone else at home," said a mental health expert who didn't wish to be named. "It's important to know what her support system is at home, and it's equally important to get her psychiatric assessment done to find out if she has some mental health issues and is under medication. She should be observed for some days to know and assess her mental health condition," said the expert. "Prima facie, she seems to be under a lot of pressure with very little support at home."

Sonali reportedly told the police that she killed her mother and brought the body to the police station to avoid any kind of harassment to her family. "She took the onus of the crime and narrated the sequence of events leading to the murder without breaking down," said sources.

A mental health expert, who also runs a school for special needs children, said that mothers "always bear the blame of producing a special needs child, and the entire burden of looking after him/her falls on the mother. Without any support system at home, it takes a toll on her mental and physical health. There are schools and vocational institutions for special needs children/young adults but there are no interim mechanisms to provide emotional support to the parents. The mother of a special needs child gets no respite. If there are elders at home who need to be looked after, it can be an emotionally and physically draining affair. The elders expect their children to look after them, but in cases like Sonali's household, the children themselves need care and support. They find themselves helpless".

Trolley bag in which Sonali stuffed the body of her mother | EXPRESS

Forensic psychiatry in India is still at a very nascent stage and there are very few forensic psychiatrists in the country.

Experts told TNIE it is necessary to conduct psychiatric assessment of accused like Sonali to understand why and under what circumstances they commit heinous crimes. "Unfortunately, in India, in rare cases police bring criminals for psychiatric evaluation," said mental health experts who spoke on condition of anonymity, since the case is under investigation.

Sonali fed her mom twenty sleeping pills

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SONALI's husband works as an electrical engineer with a private firm at Jigani Industrial Area.

Biva would often fight with Sonali's mother-in-law, and threaten to commit suicide by consuming sleeping pills. Sonali, who was without a job, was frustrated with frequent quarrels.

On Monday morning, after an argument, Sonali forcibly fed Biva with 20 sleeping pills. When Biva started crying because of intense stomach pain, Sonali strangled her to death with a veil.

Shestuffed the body into the trolley bag along with some photographs of her father, hailed an autorickshaw and tried to dispose it of. But when she failed to throw the bag, she brought it to the police station.

"I don't know why I killed her," she told the police when they wanted to know why she committed the crime.

"There could be some domestic issues," DCP (South East) CK Baba told reporters. The body was later sent for the postmortem. The police have registered a murder case under IPC Section 302, he added.

A NEW FUTURE

Minister of State for Railways, Coal and Mines Raosaheb Patil Danve and Bengaluru Central MP PC Mohan hand over appointment orders to 215 recruits under the Rozgar Mela held at Jnana Jyoti Auditorium | EXPRESS

Four held for evading tax using bizman's details to swindle govt

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

SLEUTHS of the Cyber Crime police station arrested four people who had allegedly evaded tax and caused losses to the government by misusing the details of the PAN card and Goods & Services Tax (GST) number of a businessman without his knowledge.

The accused have been identified as G Delhi Babu from Tamil Nadu, R Janaki Ram Reddy, Hire Lal and Tej Raj Giriya, all three residents of Bengaluru.

The police said the case is related to a complaint filed by Hameed Rizwan in 2018, stating that he was running a firm named ARS Enterprises since 2011 and he had Trader Identification Number (TIN), but had stopped the business in 2013. However, as the GST regime was introduced in 2017, he migrated from TIN to GST. In 2017-18, commercial tax sleuths initiated legal action against him for non-payment of GST and Rizwan informed them that his firm had not made any transactions since 2013 and furnished relevant documents.

Realising that unknown persons were evading tax using his PAN and GST number, he had filed the complaint. "Based on his complaint, four persons have been arrested after six years. Investigations revealed that they were running a business in Rizwan's name from 2016-17. They had opened bank accounts using Rizwan's PAN card and GST number and were not paying the GST. It is estimated that the tax evasion runs to several crores of rupees. We are further investigating the matter," the police added.

MAN RAMS SCOOTER INTO LORRY, DIES

Bengaluru: A 65-year-old man died after ramming his scooter into a parked lorry in Yelahanka on Monday. The deceased, identified as Narayanaswamy, was riding from Yelahanka towards Doddaballapura on his two-wheeler. While passing Puttenahalli Cross around 11.15 pm, he rear-ended a lorry bearing a Tamil Nadu registration number plate and succumbed to his injuries on the spot. Based on the complaint filed by his son Karthik, the Yelahanka traffic police have registered a case and arrested the lorry driver.

CAT stays IPS officer's transfer from Keonics

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THE Bengaluru bench of the Central Administrative Tribunal (CAT) stayed the order issued by the Department of Personnel and Administrative Reforms (DPAR) transferring senior IPS officer Ravi D Channannavar from the post of managing director, Karnataka State Electronic Development Corporation (Keonics), without any post.

"The operation and implementation of the impugned order of transfer dated June 7, 2023, passed by the undersecretary of DPAR posting HC Girish, Deputy Conservator of Forests and member secretary of Karnataka State Pollution Control Board, to the post of the applicant (Ravi Channanavar), is stayed till the next date of hearing," said a CAT bench comprising Justice S Sujatha, Judicial Member, and Rakesh Kumar Gupta, Administrative Member, in the order passed on June 9. Further hearing is adjourned to July 4.

In his application filed before CAT, Channannavar had contended that he was transferred from his post as managing director, Keonics, Bengaluru, hardly six months after taking charge, without any assigned reason or any posting. "The transfer order was passed with total non-application of mind, and the DPAR had thrown all known principles of transfer to the winds," he had said.

As per All India Service Rules, the minimum stipulated tenure for service is two years, but he was disturbed without showing any posting, which is contrary to law.

Chief Minister Siddaramaiah at a review meeting on the National Health Mission, in Bengaluru on Tuesday | EXPRESS

Siddu grills health officials over failure to implement NHM

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Bengaluru

CHIEF Minister Siddaramaiah took health officials to task for lapses in implementation of the National Health Mission (NHM) programme in the state, by not filling vacancies of specialist doctors, and lack of MRI scanning machines and dialysis units in taluk hospitals.

At a review meeting of the health department on Tuesday, Siddaramaiah questioned the officials for not utilising funds under the programme.

"There is a 52 per cent shortage of specialist doctors, 31 per cent shortage of MBBS doctors, and 18 per cent shortage of nursing staff," Siddaramaiah said, and ordered officials to hike the salaries of health workers and take measures to fill the vacancies.

"Track the progress of NHM continuously and ensure that health officials meet the set targets and spend the funds under NHM on time," Siddaramaiah directed Health Commissioner Randeep.

The chief minister advised officials to install scanning and dialysis machines in all taluks, and appoint enough technicians to provide these services, in order to improve the quality of health care, thereby encouraging more people to visit government hospitals.

Officials are to address all shortcomings under the NHM within three months, failing which they will be held responsible, he added.

Siddaramaiah also instructed officials to submit a report after studying the government health insurance schemes offered in Rajasthan and Tamil Nadu.

Miscreants steal seized two-wheelers from police station

PRAVEEN KUMAR @Bengaluru

UNIDENTIFIED miscreants have stolen five two-wheelers seized by the Madiwala traffic police. When a traffic official, Ramesh, went to take a count of the vehicles on June 9, he found out that four bikes and a scooter had been stolen by miscreants. These two-wheelers were from the lot of vehicles seized by the police for various violations. As there was no space at the station,

They had been parked inside the compound of the Forensic Science Laboratory (FSL) building, which is right next to the police station.

The traffic police had these vehicles as court hearings of traffic cases were yet to be completed. An officer privy to the case said the accused must have burgled when security guards were absent at FSL's gate. The police are also not ruling out the possibility of an insider behind the theft.

"Such seized vehicles can be released following the court's direction after the hearing. The two-wheelers that were stolen have been involved in cases which are more than four years old. The vehicles were impounded for rash riding and causing grievous injuries to others. Of the five cases, one was a fatal accident," said an officer who is part of the investigation.

Ravi Madivalara, sub-inspector attached to Madiwala traffic police station, filed a complaint on Saturday. The police suspect the theft could have happened between May 25 and June 9. The stolen two-wheelers are Yamaha FZ, Suzuki Access, Suzuki Hayate, Hero Honda Passion and Bajaj Pulsar, all worth around Rs 1.2 lakh.

"We searched the surroundings for the stolen vehicles but with no success. We are also checking the footage from CCTVs in the vicinity," said an officer who is part of the investigation. Madivalara said he has followed the instructions of his seniors to file a police complaint, but refused to comment about the complaint.

Man seeking medical seat duped of ₹16L

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Bengaluru

A man who was looking for a medical seat for his daughter, lost Rs 16.23 lakh after three persons promised him a seat in a Vijayapura college and cheated him.

Mohammad Abdul Razzaq, a resident of Bidar, lodged a complaint with High Grounds police recently, stating that his daughter had secured 241 marks in the NEET exam. Through one of his relatives, he reportedly came in contact with a person called Sana Islam Khan, who claimed she could arrange a seat under management quota at Al Ameen Medical College in Vijayapura, but on payment of Rs 16.23 lakh.

Razzaq paid her an advance and came to Al Ameen Hospital in Vasanthnagar to meet her, and give his daughter's educational certificates. He met Sana and another woman, Shabana, at the hospital and the latter also guaranteed that his daughter would get the seat. Then, he transferred the money to the account of a certain Mohammed Armaan, police said.

"The financial transactions happened between January and March. When the accused stopped responding to his phone calls, Razzaq filed a complaint recently.

SBI

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Sl No	BRANCH NAME	ACCOUNT NO	AMOUNT
01	DLF Newtown Branch	40356237404	Rs. 12,52,662.00

Chief Manager

DEMAND NOTICE

Under Section 13(2) of the Securitisation And Reconstruction of Financial Assets And Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (the said Act.) read with Rule 3(1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 (the said Rules). In exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) of the said Act read with Rule 3 of the said Rules, the Authorised Officer of IIFL Home Finance Ltd. (IIFL HFL) (Formerly known as India Infoline Housing Finance Ltd.) has issued Demand Notices under section 13(2) of the said Act, calling upon the Borrower(s), to repay the amount mentioned in the respective Demand Notice(s) issued to them. In connection with above, notice is hereby given, once again, to the Borrower(s) to pay within 60 days from the publication of this notice, the amounts indicated herein below, together with further interest from the date(s) of Demand Notice till the date of payment. The detail of the Borrower(s), amount due as on date of Demand Notice and security offered towards repayment of loan amount are as under:

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THE COURT OF THE XCI ADDL, CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE AND SPECIAL JUDGE FOR KPIDFE ACT AT BENGALURU

BETWEEN : **Misc No.275/2023**

The Competent Authority,
for M/s. Ambidant Marketing Private Limited, 3rd Floor, Mini V.V.Tower, Podium Block, Dr.Ambedkar Veedhi, Bengaluru-560001. Rep by its Competent Authority, Dr. Ashok D.R, Joint Secretary ..... Petitioner
AND
M/s. Ambidant Marketing Private Limited, Regd Office: at No.9A, K.H.B. Main Road, Kanakanagara, R.T.Nagar Post, Bengaluru-560032. (Registered vide No. CIN U74999KA2016PT98612 by ROC, Koramangala, Bangalore) Represented by its Managing Director Syed Fareed Ahmed S/o. D.S.Jalaluddin, Aged 58 years, R/a No. 374, Kushal Nagara, Opposite Hanifiya Masjid, Venkateshpuram, Bangalore - 560045 and 2 others.
..... Respondents

Notice to Respondent Nos. 2&3
2. M/s Ambident Construction Pvt Ltd, A company incorporated under provisions of the Companies Act,1956 having Registered office at : No-9/A, 1st Floor, KHB Main Road, Kanaka Nagara, Bengaluru - 560032. Rep by its Authorised Signatory Mr. Syed Usman Ahmed.
3) Reshma Sultana W/o Shaik Mohammed Ghouse, No.2, 25OF-21 Reddis Colony Madanapale, Chittore, Andhra Pradesh - 517325.
Whereas, the petitioner has filed the above petition under section 5(2) of the KPIDFE Act 2004 against Respondents.
The Respondents No.2&3 are hereby issued show cause notice u/s 12 (1) of KPIDFE Act 2004, to appear in court of the XCI Addl City Civil & Sessions Judge (CCH-92) at Bengaluru, in person or by a pleader duly instructed and able to answer all material questions relating to above petitions on **01st July 2023 at 11.00 Clock** in the forenoon.
Take notice that in default of your appearance on the date above mentioned petition will be heard and determined in your absence.
Given under my hand and seal of the court on this day **06th June 2023.**

BY ORDER OF THE COURT
Sd/- Assistant Registrar, City Civil Court, Bengaluru

D/PR/CP/248A/Zenkar/2023-24 **Sri Venkatesh P. Dalwai.,** Special Public Prosecutor

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01	Dasanapura Branch	(40978)	40778982506	Rs.1,13,497/-
02	HMT Layout Branch	(41152)	40846572218	Rs.2,08,561/-
03	HMT Layout Branch	(41152)	41128189463	Rs.4,40,044/-

Chief Manager

Cooperation Minister KN Rajanna clarified that there is no question of merging Nandini with Amul. He said that they are strengthening Nandini. He also said that soon KMF elections will be held. Rajanna said they are going to increase loan amount with zero interest up to ₹5 lakh as they promised in their manifesto, and the loan amount will be increased to 20 lakh with 3% interest

BJP MP accuses senior party netas of adjustment politics with Cong

'Leaders from both parties in agreement, help CM Siddaramaiah's government'

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Mysuru

MYSURU-Kodagu MP from BJP **Pratap Simha** on Tuesday stoked a controversy, saying that some senior leaders within his party BJP have done 'adjustment politics' with the Congress government to not to question the policies and promises of the government.

The two-time MP told reporters here that a few BJP senior leaders seem to have joined hands and have had a secret pact with Chief Minister Siddaramaiah not to question anything about the government over its guarantees and schemes.

"This is common among a few senior leaders, both within Congress and BJP. They seem to have agreed not to question each other. When BJP was in power, Congress was threatened with the Arkavathy denotification and other scams. Now with Congress in power, BJP leaders are being threatened with charges of 40 per cent commission in civil contracts, Bitcoin and other allegations. In reality, none of these allegations are investigated by leaders of both parties and they only make noise," he said.

"I suspect adjustment politics with Siddaramaiah. BJP workers won't indulge in such politics, but only senior leaders are capable of doing this," he alleged.

Defending the increase in toll on the Bengaluru-Mysuru Expressway, he said it was supposed to happen in April.

He challenged Siddaramaiah to release a white paper on the financial condition of the state. "Like how the Congress government cancelled or kept on hold some of the decisions of the previous BJP government, the KERC order increasing power tariff too could have been scrapped," he said.

Ashwath ahead in race for BJP state president, Yatnal LoP

More than a month after the Assembly election results, BJP yet to pick their leader of opposition

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> Pratap Simha, MP

ASHWINI M SRIPAD @ Bengaluru

WITH the legislative session in July approaching, the BJP is likely to finalise the names for leader of opposition and party state president by the end of this week. The high command is in favour of a Lingayat-Vokkaliga combination for the top posts, party sources said.

More than a month after the Assembly election results came in, BJP is yet to pick their leader of opposition from 66 MLAs.

However, BJP state leaders have indicated that the party top brass will announce names in the next couple of days. A BJP leader told TNIE that the high command should announce the names without delay. Top leaders had a few names in their mind and they have taken feedback from party MLAs, MLCs, district presidents and other leaders, the leader said.

BJP state chief Nalin Kumar Kateel's term ended in August 2022. Because of the Assembly elections, he term was extended. "After four years, BJP will be getting a new party president. The names of former ministers Sunil Kumar and Dr CN Ashwath Narayana are doing the rounds, with the latter ahead in the race as party state chief."

Party sources said that the high command may pick Vijayapura MLA Basangouda Patil Yatnal , a Lingayat, as leader of opposition in the Assembly. Another BJP MLA Aravind Bellad, also a Lingayat, is in the contest.

Sources also said the party high command wants a Lingayat-Vokkaliga combination as it is important for them to keep the voters from these communities happy. "Assembly polls have shown that the Vokkaliga votes have moved from JDS to Congress, while a section of Lingayat voters have moved away from BJP. Also, by choosing Ashwath Narayana from Malleswaram and Yatnal from Vijayapura in North Karnataka, the party can have a stronghold region-wise," sources said.

'WHAT'S THE BIG DEAL?'

Surjewala in official meet on Bengaluru, oppn slams Cong

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

AICC General Secretary Randeep Singh Surjewala's presence at an official meeting to discuss issues related to the development of Bengaluru, caused a stir in political circles in the state. The opposition BJP and JDS questioned in what capacity Surjewala had attended the official meeting that was also attended by senior IAS officers.

"The 'secret meeting' held at Bengaluru's Shangri-La Hotel is just another way of 'Gandhis' trying to control Karnataka. The family has sent their close aide Randeep Surjewala, who neither holds any position at BDA/BBMP nor in the government to decide on Karnataka's matters. What is his capacity or authority to chair the meeting with the BBMP and BDA Commissioners /Officials?" BJP Karnataka tweeted with a photograph of Surjewala attending the meeting along with Deputy Chief Minister DK Shivakumar, ministers, Congress MLAs and senior officers from Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) and the state government.

"Is this where the 85% deals are being orchestrated by the #ATMSarkara to raise funds ahead of 2024 Elections?" the BJP tweeted.

Senior BJP leader and former Union minister Basangouda Patil Yatnal questioned, "Is Surjewala Super Chief Minister of Karnataka? Under what capacity he called for a meeting of the BBMP Commissioner, ACS Urban Development, and BDA Chief? I heard Advocate General was also present in this meeting conducted by the Congress Party in-charge?"

Yatnal urged the BBMP Commissioner to clarify what was the agenda of the meeting and what was the "assignment" given to officers.

JDS leader and former CM HD Kumaraswamy slammed the government for allowing Surjewala to hold a meeting with ministers and senior officers. "Do we have a government headed by Siddaramaiah or a government that is at the mercy of Delhi's 10 Janpath? People voted for Congress government or a puppet government? That has been proved even before the government completed a month in office," the JDS leader said.

Who gave the authority to Surjewala to hold the official meeting attended by senior IAS officers, the former CM questioned. "Surjewala is sitting at the Centre, while the ministers are sitting on the side. It is so strange and the Chief Minister should answer," he added.

Housing Minister Zameer Ahmed Khan tweeted with a photograph, "Participated in the meeting which was called by Deputy Chief Minister DK Shivakumar at Shangri-la Hotel in Bengaluru and discussed various issues and betterment of Bengaluru. AICC General Secretary and in-charge of Karnataka State @rssurjewala was also present." But later, he deleted the tweet.

Sources in the government said the meeting went on for two hours and they discussed various issues, including the BBMP elections.

AICC General Secretary Randeep Singh Surjewala, DyCM DK Shivakumar and other top state government officials during a meeting in Bengaluru | TWITTER

BJP leaders to meet Guv for action against DKS

A BJP delegation led by the party MLAs and former ministers R Ashoka and Suresh Kumar will meet Governor Thaawarchand Gehlot on Wednesday afternoon and demand action against Deputy Chief Minister DK Shivakumar for allowing AICC General Secretary Randeep Singh Surjewala to chair an official meeting attended by senior IAS officers. A BJP leader said they will also seek action against Surjewala for attending the official meeting. **ENS**

Siddu assures cine folk of film city in Mysuru

Bengaluru: Noted actors and directors appealed to Chief Minister Siddaramaiah for a film city in Mysuru. Siddaramaiah met a delegation of actors and directors, led by noted film director and producer, Rajendra Singh Babu, on Tuesday to get inputs for the state budget on July 7. The chief minister assured that he will take up the project as the fraternity has been demanding it for the last four decades. He said another round of discussions about the project will be held after the budget. The film city has been proposed in chief minister's constituency, Varuna. In the 1980s, during the tenure of then chief minister Ramakrishna Hegde, a film city was proposed in Hesaraghatta. **ENS**

Guarantees may play spoiler for implementing pay panel report

ASHWINI M SRIPAD @ Bengaluru

THE state government, struggling to arrange revenues for its five guarantees that have started rolling out, may see another challenge in implementing the Seventh Pay Commission recommendations. The commission is expected to submit its report in next few weeks, recommending a pay increase for government employees and it could cause an additional burden of Rs 12,000 crore on the state exchequer.

Just before the Assembly polls were announced, members of the Karnataka State Government Employees' Association had gone on a strike, demanding the implementation of the Seventh Pay Commission and a 40 per cent hike in their salaries. The then Basavaraj Bommai government had agreed to give an interim hike of 17 per cent and the remaining after the commission gave the final report.

Association president Shadakshari said they are approaching Chief Minister Siddaramaiah before he presents his budget. "We met him informally after he took charge, but we will meet him again with our representation. All we demand is the implementation of the 7th Pay Commission and a rollback to the Old Pension Scheme," he added.

Asked if the guarantees could be a hurdle in increasing their salaries, Shadakshari said that sooner or later, the government has to implement it. "The commission has been given time till November 2023, which is an extension. If they have the willpower, the Commission can complete its report soon and it can be implemented at the earliest. It can be done by the budget session," he said.

Implementing the Seventh Pay Commission would require another Rs 12,000 crore | EXPRESS

Government sources said commission members are meeting various stakeholders, including association members and various department heads. "The government needs at least Rs 60,000 crore for the guarantees. Implementing the Seventh Pay Commission would require another Rs 12,000 crore. As it is a burden on the government, the chief minister and others are taking time," said an official, requesting anonymity.

Bommai had constituted the commission, headed by former chief secretary Sudhakar Rao, in November 2022. Pay commissions are set up once every five years to revise the salaries of state government employees. The present commission was given six months to submit its report. But because of the election code of conduct, the work was delayed and it was given an extension of another six months from May this year.

Gruha Lakshmi: Child devpt officers to verify papers

Bengaluru: The child development project officer (CDPO) of Women and Child Welfare Department has been appointed as sanctioning officer in every taluk to implement Gruha Lakshmi, under which the women heads of families are eligible for Rs 2,000 per month. Applications will open on Thursday. The CDPO will verify documents and approve them. Applications can be submitted between June 15 and July 15. The amount will be given through DBT from August 15.

Min bats for crop loss relief hike

Bengaluru: The state government on Tuesday urged the central government to increase compensation for loss of lives, crops and property damage. Revenue Minister Krishna Byre Gowda attended a national meeting on Disaster Management and Response in New Delhi. He tweeted that during the meeting, chaired by Union Home Minister Amit Shah, he urged that compensation for losses be increased. He said he has also appealed to the Centre to set up Doppler radar (detect motion of rains) in the state.

Stir on hold for now, industry bodies want power tariff hike withdrawn

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Bengaluru

IT is not just citizens who are crying foul over the hike in power tariff and hefty bills, but even commercial operators and industry bodies.

Members of 32 district chambers of commerce and 200 associations met here on Tuesday opposing the power tariff hike. While most of them were of the unanimous opinion that they will protest and shut operations, heads of Federation of Karnataka Chamber of Commerce and Industries (FKCCI) decided to put the protest on hold. "We are not happy with the hike in power tariff, but we are hopeful. We have a meeting scheduled with Energy Minister **KJ George**. He has assured us that he will discuss it with the chief minister and also take it up in the cabinet. After that, the next course of action will be decided," said FKCCI president BV Gopal Reddy.

"To fully leverage the government's focus on the Make in India campaign, industries need sustained support from the government. Ensuring consistent power supply at affordable rates would definitely help the industry. It is essential to postpone any increase in power costs for a minimum of two years, taking into consideration the current growth in industrial output. It is also vital that bankers and financial institutions provide adequate assistance to overcome rising overheads and the impact of increased power costs," said L Ravindran, president, Bangalore Chamber of Industry and Commerce (BCIC).

Members of the Bidadi Industries Association also wrote to the Karnataka Electricity Regulatory Commission (KERC) demanding a revision in power tariff. The industry associations stated that availing power through open access is also not a viable solution now as they will have to bear the costs of cross subsidy, transmission and distribution losses. There are many technical clauses which need to be assessed. It is ideal if the government and KERC take a relook at power tariffs, they added.

George to meet KPTCL officials

Energy Minister KJ George on Tuesday held a review meeting with officials of the Karnataka Power Transmission Corporation Limited (KPTCL) to take stock of the transmission works and chalk out a plan for systemic improvement. At the meeting, the minister is said to have directed the officials to make power supply more reliable and reduce the transmission and distribution losses.

Will govt hike taxes to fund schemes, asks Shobha

Mysruu: Happy that women are travelling for free on buses across the state, Union Minister of state for Agriculture and Family Welfare, Shobha Karandlaje on Tuesday said that Chief Minister Siddaramaiah-led Congress government should reveal the financial status of the state coffers. The chief minister should answer if the government will impose additional tax to mop up more revenue to fund the five guarantees.

Will find solution, Satish tries to stop industry flight to Maha

Belagavi: Responding to warnings from industrialists in Belagavi that they might have to shift their industries to Maharashtra because of the power tariff hike, PWD Minister and Belagavi district minister, Satish Jarkiholi said that the government is working on it to find a solution. "This is a temporary challenge for the government to manage. If we work together, we can overcome many challenges," he said.

MINING CASE

82 properties of Reddy, wife, to be attached

ENS @ Bengaluru

ACTING on a petition filed by the CBI, a special court passed an order to attach 82 immovable properties of former minister G Janardhan Reddy and his wife G Lakshmi Aruna, over illegal mining, till disposal of criminal proceedings pending against him. This includes five properties in the name of Reddy and 77 properties in the name of Lakshmi.

Judge B Jayantha Kumar passed the order on June 12, partly allowing the petition filed by CBI, praying to pass an order to attach properties worth Rs 65.05 crore mentioned in the petition. It was in connection with a case registered in 2012 under the provisions of Prevention of Corruption Act, Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, Karnataka Forest Act, against Reddy.

The properties were allegedly acquired from proceeds of crime, and the chief secretary authorised CBI in 2015 to move the special court to attach the properties. This was for causing a loss of Rs 198 crore to the state government exchequer, by illegally selling and exporting 6.05 MT iron ore when Reddy was district minister, using his official position.

Vision groups for 7 sectors to boost industrial growth

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru:

LARGE and Medium Industries Minister MB Patil on Tuesday said the State government will constitute new vision groups across seven sectors to promote industrial development.

Patil, who held a meeting with industrialists to seek their views on promoting industrial growth in the state on Monday evening, said the proposed vision groups will span a number of sectors -- Aerospace & Defence, Machine Tools, Electronics System Design & Manufacturing (ESDM), Core Manufacturing, Pharma, Startups (non-IT) and Auto/EV. This is the first time that vision groups are being formed sector-wise, said a note from the minister's office.

The vision groups will comprise industry experts, public sector officials and academic experts. These groups, which will be institutionalised, will provide holistic guidance to the department and lead industrial progress in the right direction, the minister stated.

The government also intends to promote manufacturing and industrialisation in sectors such as future mobility, green hydrogen, food processing, textiles, and warehousing & logistics, he said.

The first green hydrogen cluster in the country would come up in Mangaluru, and the state has attracted commitments worth about Rs 2.8 lakh crore for green hydrogen, Patil said. An IFS officer of PCCF grade will be appointed within the department to help resolve environment-related issues.

Operation of new airports

Patil said the government is considering bringing the operation and maintenance of new airports under Karnataka State Industrial and Infrastructure Development Corporation (KSIIDC). The state is investing in the new airports and can get revenue if it takes care of the operations, which they will discuss with the Centre, he said. A similar model is being followed in Maharashtra and a few other states, he added.

One more passenger of the Coromandel Express at Bahanaga succumbed on Tuesday, taking the death toll in the Odisha train tragedy to 289. The deceased, Bijaya Paswan (35) was from Motihari in Bihar. With cervical spine injury, he was admitted to a hospital in Cuttack, where he suffered a cardiac arrest

ED officials search minister Senthil Balaji's office at the Tamil Nadu Secretariat in Chennai on Tuesday | ASHWIN PRASATH

ED enters TN secretariat as part of searches on places linked to Balaji

Agency action evokes mixed reactions from opposition parties

C SHIVAKUMAR & SAHAYA NOVINSTON LOBO @ Chennai

ENFORCEMENT Directorate officials, accompanied by Central Reserve Police Force personnel, conducted searches at multiple places linked to electricity minister V Senthil Balaji including his office in the state secretariat in a suspected money laundering case on Tuesday. The central agency sleuths entered the secretariat, Tamil Nadu's seat of power, a few minutes after Chief Minister MK Stalin left the premises and the searches were going on till late evening.

The ED action evoked sharp reactions from opposition parties across the country, with Chief Minister MK Stalin calling it a blot on federalism. "The backdoor tactics of BJP against its political opponents will not yield desired results," the CM said. Several opposition leaders, including Congress president Mallikarjun Kharge, West Bengal CM Mamata Banerjee, Nationalist Congress Party chief Sharad Pawar, and Delhi Chief Minister Arvind Kejriwal, too, joined the CM in condemning the search. While Kharge called it as a blatant misuse of the ED by the Modi government, Mamata called it a desperate act by the BJP. NCP president Sharad Pawar said the ED has now ventured into southern states with a sinister motive to crush the voices against undemocratic central government. Thanking the leaders, Stalin, in a tweet, said, "We are unfazed, undeterred, and will remain committed in our opposition to BJP's intimidatory tactics and undemocratic raids."

The search was part of a multi-city operation by the ED that started on Tuesday morning at several places connected to Balaji, including his official residence in Chennai. According to sources, ED is investigating a cash-for-jobs scam against Balaji during his stint as transport minister in the AIADMK government led by J Jayalalithaa in 2011-15.

The Karur strongman, who later joined DMK and is now the electricity and excise minister in the Stalin-led cabinet, told reporters that he was taking his morning walk when he got the news and took a taxi back home. Properties linked to Balaji in Karur, Erode and Coimbatore were also being searched by the ED.

Case on treatment in jail: Sasi moves HC

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

FORMER Tamil Nadu chief minister J Jayalalithaa's aide **VK Sasikala** moved the Karnataka High Court, questioning the criminal proceedings initiated against her under the provisions of the Prevention of Corruption Act and IPC over preferential treatment for her while she was serving a sentence in the central prison at Parappana Agrahara in the city in a multi-crore disproportionate assets case.

After hearing the petition by Sasikala, who is accused number 5 in the case, Justice M Nagaprasanna on Monday issued a notice to the Lokayukta police, while adjourning the hearing to June 26.

She requested the court to quash the entire proceedings pending before the special court which passed the order dated January 31, 2022, taking cognisance, registering a criminal case and issuing summons to secure her presence.

Contending that the proceedings initiated before the special court are not in consonance with the procedures contemplated under the Criminal Procedure Code, Sasikala claimed that she is innocent and is being made a scapegoat in a legal battle between two high-ranking police officers. The chargesheet does not contain even a whisper of the allegation of illegal gratification alleged to have been paid by the petitioner in return for the facilities provided and hence the entire proceedings required to be quashed, she pleaded.

Her petition stated that if she is made to face criminal proceedings, it will hamper and affect her image in society as she is a senior citizen (69 years old), having deep roots in society. If she is made to attend court proceedings every now and then, it will affect not only her standing in society but also her political growth, she stated. An ACB probe had revealed that she was given preferential treatment while she was serving time. The state government had appointed former IAS officer Vinay Kumar as the inquiry officer after receiving a complaint over her preferential treatment.

EXPRESS READ

18 injured in steam leak at Tata Steel plant

BHUBANESWAR: At least 18 persons were injured when the steam pipeline of the blast furnace in a power plant of Tata Steel's Meramundali works burst on Tuesday. The accident occured at around 1 pm when a team of workers and plant officials were reportedly working on the maintenance of the blast furnace pipeline. All 18 have sustained burns to the extent of 20-60 per cent, apart from other injuries. The injured include an engineer, a supervisor and contractual workers. They were immediately rushed to the occupational health centre and later shifted to a private hospital at Cuttack. Chief of Corporate Services, Tata Steel, Mohit Das said the district collector and deputy director, factory and boilers, were immediately informed about the accident. "The company is ensuring all necessary information and support to the families of the affected personnel," the company said in a statement.

SHAKTI SCHEME

41.34L travel free, ticket value at ₹8 cr

ENS @ Bengaluru

ON the second day of the launch of Shakti scheme that offers free bus travel for women, 41.34 lakh took the public transport across the state on Monday. The total ticket value of the women passengers in all four bus corporations -- KSRTC, BMTC, KKRTC and NWKRTC – was Rs 8.83 crore.

Bengaluru Metropolitan Transport Corporation recorded the highest women ridership with 17.57 lakh followed by Karnataka State Road Transport Corporation with 11.40 lakh. The next was NWKRTC with 8.31 lakh, followed by KKRTC with 4.04 lakh passengers.

Of the total ticket value, KSRTC registered the highest at Rs 3.57 crore, followed by NWKRTC with Rs 2.10 crore, BMTC Rs 1.75 crore and KKRTC Rs 1.39 crore. Following the death of a female student after falling from a NWKRTC Haveri division bus on Tuesday, KSRTC has given guidelines that vehicles must be run only after confirming that the doors are closed. The buses should start only after the driver ensures that the front door is closed and the conductor confirms the same for the back door.

Girl students run to board a BMTC bus in Bengaluru on Tuesday | VINOD KUMAR T

The guidelines also directed conductors to ensure that nobody travels on the footboard and that the doors are opened only after reaching the bus stop/stand.

AIADMK-BJP spat: Regional partner slams Annamalai

T MURUGANANDHAM @ Chennai

THE AIADMK-BJP spat escalated further on Tuesday with the district secretaries meeting chaired by **Edappadi K Palaniswami** condemning BJP state president K Annamalai for his remarks on former chief minister J Jayalalithaa. Annamalai, however, stood his ground saying he had not said anything contrary to truth and that he was not ready to "mortgage his dream of realising a corruption-free Tamil Nadu for short-term political gains."

Significantly, the AIADMK meeting targeted only Annamalai and not the BJP. Former minister CVe Shanmugam said, "Annamalai and BJP are different entities since Annamalai has his own agenda." A resolution adopted at the meeting said that while BJP leaders had high regard for Jayalalithaa, Annamalai had made unacceptable remarks about her.

The resolution also said Annamalai's interview would malign the image of Jayalalithaa and he had done it with an ulterior motive. His views have caused huge unrest among AIADMK cadre. The resolution also described Annamalai as an immature politician without experience. The resolution said BJP leaders like AB Vajpayee and LK Advani, senior leaders of various political parties and chief ministers had great respect for Jayalalithaa and Prime Minister Narendra Modi himself had called on Jayalalithaa at her residence.

Sources said several district secretaries vehemently opposed Annamalai's remarks and that the ties with the BJP should be reconsidered if the party's national leadership fails to take action against Annamalai.

12-year-old touches electric pole in Gadag, electrocuted

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Gadag

A 12-year-old boy was electrocuted after he touched an electric pole at Janata Plot area in Gajendragad in Gadag district on Monday night. The incident occured when Pankaj was playing with his friends and accidentally went close to the electric pole and touched it. Neighbours rushed to the spot and told other children to stay away from the pole.

They tried calling staff and the contractors, but as there was no response, the residents staged a protest. They also raised slogans against HESCOM. The protesters accused the staff of ignoring their responsibility while taking up a road repair work. National Highway work is in progress on Gajendragad–Yelaburga Road in Gajendragad town.

The residents say that some staff have left the work incomplete. There was electric current passing through the pole, which claimed the life of the boy.

Gajendragad PSI Nagaraj Gadad visited the spot and pacified the protesters. He promised that action will be taken against the guilty.

The victim's father, Ramu Kalal said, "Pankaj was very dear to us. If the workers had properly completed the work, our son would be alive today. We did not know about the electric current passing through the pole. Otherwise, we would not have allowed any child to play around it."

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WALK-IN-INTERVIEW

Walk In Interview is scheduled for the selection of temporary position of Research Associate and Young Professional I on 22nd June 2023. For details please visit our **website www.cicr.org.in**

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No: PCB/21/17 CAT/HPI/EPH/2023/1212 Date:09/06/2023

ENVIRONMENTAL PUBLIC HEARING NOTIFICATION

M/s. Gurudev Bio Refineries & Allied Industries Pvt Ltd, have proposed to establish Sugarcane Crushing Plant of capacity 4500 TCD, Co-generation power plant of 24 MW & Multi feed (Syrup/Molasses/Grain Based) Distillery Plant of capacity 200 KLPD at Sy Nos.273, 274/1, 274/2, 275 of Tadavalga Village, Indi Taluk, Vijayapura District, Karnataka. As Per Environment Impact Assessment Notification dated: 14.09.2006 and Amendment dated: 09.05.2022, the Project Proponent has to obtain prior Environmental Clearance from Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, GOI and is required to go through Environmental Public Hearing process. As per the Terms of Reference letter No: IA-J-11011/471/2022-IA-II(I) dated: 22.11.2022 issued by Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, New Delhi and request letter of the project proponent received at Board office on 10.04.2023, the Environmental Public Hearing is being conducted by KSPCB.

The details of the project are as follows:

1	**Name of the Company & Address.:** M/s.Gurudev Bio Refineries & Allied Industries Pvt Ltd, No.273, Tadavalga Post, Indi Taluk, Vijayapura District, Karnataka.
2	**Location of the Proposed Project :** Sy Nos.273, 274/1, 274/2, 275 of Tadavalga Village, Indi Taluk, Vijayapura District, Karnataka.
3	**Project proposed:** Establishment of Sugarcane Crushing Plant of capacity 4500 TCD, Co-generation power plant of 24 MW & Multi feed (Syrup/Molasses/Grain Based) Distillery Plant of capacity 200 KLPD.
4	**Date, time and venue of Environmental Public Hearing.:** Date: 14.07.2023 (Friday). Time: 11:00 A.M. Place: Project site, M/s.Gurudev Bio Refineries & Allied Industries Pvt Ltd, No.273, Tadavalga Post, Indi Taluk, Vijayapura District, Karnataka.
5	**Places of availability of project documents as per EIA Notification, which is kept open to public are:** **(a)** Office of the Deputy Commissioner, Vijayapura District, Vijayapura. **(b)** Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Panchayat, Vijayapura District, Vijayapura. **(c)** District Industries Centre, Vijayapura District, Vijayapura. **(d)** Office of the Regional Officer, Regional Office, Karnataka State Pollution Control Board, Sy No.490K, Plot No.86, Harikari Layout, Vajra Hanuman Nagar, Bagalkote Road, Vijayapura. **(e)** Tadavalga Village Panchayat, Indi Taluk, Vijayapura District. **(f)** Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change South Zone Office, E-3/240, Kendriya Sadan, 4th Floor, E&F Wings, 17th Main Road, 2nd Block, Koramangala, Bengaluru – 560 034. **(g)** HELP DESK, Karnataka State Pollution Control Board, Ground Floor, No.49, Parisara Bhavana, Church Street, Bengaluru – 560 001.

NOTE: Suggestions, views, comments and objections of interested bonafide residents, environmental groups and others located at project site and likely to be affected by the proposed project are invited within 30 days from the date of publication of this Notification to make oral/written/E-Mail suggestions to the Karnataka State Pollution Control Board Deputy Commissioner, Vijayapura District. Interested public can participate in the Public Hearing at the above place. For details please visit our Website: **kspcb.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/-
Member Secretary

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

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RECRUITMENT OF SPECIALIST CADRE OFFICERS IN SBI ON CONTRACT & REGULAR BASIS

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Sr No	Post	Vacancy
	CRPD/SCO/2023-24/09	
1	Assistant General Manager (Marketing) / Chief Manager (Marketing)	18
2	Senior Vice President & Head (Marketing)	1
	CRPD/SCO/2023-24/10	
3	Vice President (Transformation)	1
4	Senior Special Executive - Program Manager	4
5	Senior Special Executive (Inbound & Outbound) - (Quality & Training)	1
6	Senior Special Executive - Command Centre	3

Regular Post: Sr no 1. **Contractual Post: Sr no 2 to 6.**

Eligibility criteria (age, educational qualification, experience etc.), requisite fees and other details are available on Bank's website **https://bank.sbi/web/careers** along with a link for online submission of application as well as online payment of application fee. Candidates are advised to go through the detailed advertisement ensuring their eligibility and other details before applying and remitting fees.

- **DATE FOR FILING ONLINE APPLICATION & PAYMENT OF FEES: FROM 01.06.2023 TO 21.06.2023**

For any query, please write to us through link **"CONTACT US" → "Post Your Query"** which is available on Bank's website.

Place: Mumbai
Date: 01.06.2023
General Manager (RP & PM)

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No. AD/RSC-II-21-23/2014/1303 Dated, the 09th June, 2023

Advertisement

Applications are invited from Indian Nationals for advertisement for the post of **Manager (Trade Promotion Centre)** on contractual basis in Paradip Port Authority.

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PPA/PR/22/2023-24
Dt. 12/06/2023
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Re-Notification

STCAU/TS/267/2023dt.14.06.2023

Applications are invited from eligible candidates to the post of **Assistant Professors** against the permanent vacancies in **CHEMISTRY** (Person with Disability-01 vacancy) **MATHEMATICS** (Person with Disability-01 vacancy)

Scale of pay, Qualification, Age etc will be as per the norms of UGC/University/Government of Kerala and as per the clause 34 of the Right of Person with Disability Act,2016 and G.O (MS) No.96/2021/HEdn. dt. 15.02.2021. Application forms can be downloaded from the college website (www.teresas.ac.in) on an online payment of Rs.2000/- Duly filled in applications, along with copies of all the required documents should reach the Principal within 30 days from the publication of this notification. Those who have already submitted their applications in response to our notification in December-2022 and Corrigendum in March 2023 need not apply again.

Manager
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14.06.2023

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REQUIRED PRINCIPAL

Online applications are invited from qualified candidates for the post of **PRINCIPAL** to be filled in **Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be University) College of Engineering, Pune.** For detailed information about qualifications and experience, please visit Website:

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The last date for receiving online applications will be ten days from the date of publication of the advertisement.
Please note that,
1. **For Candidates called for interview and residing out of Maharashtra, Economy Class Air fare will be reimbursed by the shortest route.**
2. **Candidates from Maharashtra will be given travelling allowance.**
3. **Due to any genuine reason, if you cannot remain present personally, online interview will be arranged. However, if you are shortlisted you have to appear in person before finalizing the selection.**
4. **Salary – no bar for deserving candidates.**

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WALK IN INTERVIEW

Walk in Interviews for the following posts to be filled in **Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be University) Medical College & Hospital, Sangli** will be conducted on **Tuesday, 20th June, 2023 from 11.00 a.m.** onwards at **Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be University) Medical College & Hospital, Wanlesswadi, Sangli Miraj Road, Sangli 416 414.**

Sr. No	Designation	Subjects / Department	Qualifications
1	**Associate Professor**	■ Anaesthesiology ■ Forensic Medicine ■ Respiratory Medicine	Qualification and eligibility as per NMC norms.
2	**Assistant Professor**	■ Forensic Medicine ■ Anaesthesiology ■ Community Medicine ■ General Surgery ■ Paediatrics ■ Cardiac Anaesthesia ■ Respiratory Medicine	Qualification and eligibility as per NMC norms.

Note :
- For detailed information, please write to, **mchsangli@bharatividyapeeth.edu**
- For scrutiny purpose please forward your application and certificates before **18th June, 2023** to, **mchsangli@bharatividyapeeth.edu**
- Travelling allowance will be reimbursed to the candidates who will attend the interview

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SALE NOTICE

Whereas the Authorized Officer of **Sundaram Home Finance Limited,** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with Section 13(2), issued a demand notice dated **02-03-2020** calling upon the Borrower and Co-Borrorwers to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The Borrower and Co-Borrowers having failed to repay the amount within the statutory period, the Authorised Officer in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 13(4) of the said Act in accordance with Rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, had taken the possession of the property described herein below.

Public are hereby informed that the property more fully described in the table hereunder will be sold under Rule 8 & 9 of The Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 in **"AS IS WHERE IS", "AS IS WHAT IS" and "WHATEVER THERE IS" CONDITION,** by inviting sealed Bids from the public up to 15.30 hrs on **26/07/2023.** Those who want to participate in the auction sale can forward their bids only by RPAD/Hand Delivery in sealed covers superscribed as Offer for Sale of Assets A/c. **Mr. Narendra Gamidi** to the undersigned on or before 15.30 Hrs. on **26/07/2023.** Bids received after 15.30 Hrs. on **26/07/2023** and thereafter will be rejected. The sealed Bids received by RPAD/Hand Delivery up to 15.30 Hrs. on **26/07/2023** will be opened on **26/07/2023** at 16:00 hrs. at the place mentioned hereunder. The successful bidder has to pay the balance amount within 15 days from the date of receipt of Sale confirmation. The sale shall be completed only on deposit of the Balance amount as stated above.

Name and Address of the Borrower & Co-Borrower	Secured Debt (Rs.)	Reserve Price fixed for the Secured Property	Place for Title Verification
Mr. Narendra Gamidi (Borrower), No 40 Ashirvad 1st Floor 1st A Main 1st Cross, Old Airport Road, Vinayaka Nagar Bangalore - 560017. **Mr. Narendra Gamidi (Employer)** Capgemini Technology Services India Ltd, Campus No 1-B RMZ, Ecospace Outer Ring Road, Bangalore-560037. **Mr. Narendra Gamidi (Property - 1),** Sy No 9/1A, Part of Old Survey No 9/1, Kasavanahalli, Bangalore-560035. **Mrs. Mohini Ganta (Co-Borrower),** No 40, Ashirvad, 1st Floor, 1st A Main, 1st Cross, Old Airport Road, Vinayaka Nagar, Bangalore - 560017. **Mr. Thalamanchi Harsha Vardhan (Guarantor)** No 101, No 23, 2nd Cross, CSB Layout, Sarjapur Main Road, Kasavanahalli, Bangalore - 560035. **Mr. Thalamanchi Harsha Vardhan (Employer),** Mindtree Ltd, 17/9c 17/4c, Maruthi Chambers, Roopena Agrahara, Bangalore-560068	**Rs. 91,14,812/-** (Rupees Ninety One Lakh Fourteen Thousand Eight Hundred and Twelve Only) as on 14.06.2023 (File No. BJN20180091) Including Future Interest + Statutory Expenditure + Legal Expenses + Incidental Charges.	**Rs. 53,50,000/- (Rupees Fifty Three Lakhs Fifty Thousand only** **Earnest Money Deposit** 25% of the Bid Amount	**M/s. Sundaram Home Finance Limited,** Old No. 1947, New No. 19, 2nd Floor, 9th Block, 28th Main, South 'D' Main Road, Jayanagar, Bengaluru - 560 069. **Place for Opening of Bid** **M/s. Sundaram Home Finance Limited,** No. 23, 2nd Floor, Cathedral Garden Road, Nungambakkam, Chennai – 600 034. **Date and Time of opening the Bid** **26.07.2023 @ 16:00 Hrs**

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: Schedule 'A' Property: All that piece and parcel of portion of immovable property being converted land formed part of land measuring 1 Acre 03 Guntas in Survey No. 9/1A (Part of Old Survey No.9/1) converted vide official Memorandum No. BDS/ALN(E)VB/SR249/2003-04 dated 12/08/2003 and No. ALN/EVH/SR327/2008-09 dated 15/04/2009 and No. ALN/EVH/ SR319/2008-09 dated 12/05/2009, situated at Kasavanahalli Village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore District measuring East to West 304 Feet (Three Hundred Four Feet), North to South 117 Feet (One Hundred Seventeen Feet) and main access to site measuring 3082 Square Feet, totally measuring 38650 Square Feet and the entire property is **bounded on:** East by: Property of Survey No. 8, West by: 80 Feet Kasavanahalli Main Road, North by: Remaining Portion of land in Survey No. 9/1A belonging to M. Narayana Reddy, South by: Property of Laksmamma of Survey No. 9/1B. Presently the Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike has assigned Municipal No.4045/Sy/No.9/1A to Schedule 'A' Property.

Schedule 'B' Property: The 535 Square Feet of undivided share, right, title and interest comprised in the Schedule 'A' Property.

Schedule 'C' Property: The Apartment bearing No.402 on the Fourth Floor of Block - A in the building known as 'KPR ELITE' being having super built up area of 1625 Square Feet with 3 bedrooms, a kitchen, inclusive of proportionate share of common areas, with verified flooring along with one car parking space in basement with the undivided right title and interest to an extent of 535 Square Feet.

Note: The intending purchasers are requested to verify the documents, inspect the property and participate in the auction after satisfying about the title, nature and condition to property. Refund will not be given after sale confirmation, in case if there arises any dispute regarding the title or nature of the property.

For detailed terms and conditions of the Sale of Property of Mr. NARENDRA GAMIDI Loan Account No. BJN20180091, please refer towww.sundaramhome.in/uploads/files/sale_notice/ BJN20180091.pdf

Contact Person: Mr. Kuttappa – 97415 50450

Date: 14-06-2023

for SUNDARAM HOME FINANCE LTD., AUTHORISED OFFICER

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to notify the public that our client SMT. D.HYMAVATHI, W/o late D.R. Neelappa Reddy residing at No. 314/2, 7th Cross, 3rd Main, Domlur Layout, Bangalore-560 071, had appointed her son SRI. N.VIJAYA KUMAR as her Unlimited Power of Attorney holder by executing a Power of Attorney dated 23-09-2022, registered as Document No. INR-4-00739/2022-23, in Book-4, Stored in Electronic CD No. INRD1175, in the office of Sub-Registrar, Bangalore, to act on her behalf and also do grant you unlimited power and authority to act in her name, place and stead in any way which she herself could do, if she were personally present, with respect to General, Real Property, Tangible Personal Property, Transactions Concerning Stocks and Bonds, Transactions Concerning Commodities and Options, Transactions Concerning Banks and Other Financial Institutions, Operating a Business, Insurance and Annuities, Estates, Trusts, and other Relationships in which the Principal is a Beneficiary, Claims and Litigation, Personal and Family Maintainance, Benefits from Social Security, Medicare, Medicaid and Other Governmental Programs, or Civil Or Military Service, Retirement Plans, Tax Matters, Gifts and Delegation of Agency Authority. The said SRI. N. VIJAYA KUMAR., who is my son had acted detrimental to the interest of my client. Hence my client has revoked the said Power of Attorney dated 23-09-2022 by causing a legal notice dated 26-05-2023. In view of revocation of the said power of attorney the said SRI. N.VIJAYA KUMAR, has ceased to hold any authorization from my client with effect from 26-05-2023 onwards and he is not entitled to represent on behalf of my client for any purpose and deal with the said acts/things of my client. The public are hereby notified not to enter into any transaction with SRI. N. VIJAYA KUMAR., in respect of the above said acts/things. Despite this notice if any person or persons or authority proceeds to transact with the said SRI. N. VIJAYA KUMAR., he/they will be doing so at his/their own risk and peril.

GOWTHAMI .A, Advocate
No.16, 1st Cross, 2nd Main, Near Chowdeshwari Temple, Gummaiah Layout, Padmanabhanagara, Bangalore-560 070. Mob: 8197083181

MAHATRANSCO
Maharashtra State Electricity Transmission Co. Ltd.

INVITATION FOR BID (IFB) (LOCAL COMPETITIVE BIDDING) (RFx No. 6000001094)

SRM E-Tender No. T-2312/MSETCL/CO/Projects/Pre-tender

MSETCL invites offers by SRM E-Tendering in two-bid system **(Techno-Commercial Bid and Price Bid)** from the eligible registered bidders for the turnkey works contract for construction of the following SS under Pune Zone.

Sr. No.	Name of Substation	Estimated Cost in Rs. Lakh
1	Turnkey Work Contract for Balance Work for 400kV D/C Jejuri - Winjhar (Loc. 148) Line i.e. LILO point of 400kV Lonikand-I - Koyna Stage-IV ckt II to Winjhar (Loc. 148) of Package-A under Pune Zone - 36.88 km	5462.18 (Exclusive of GST)

Interested bidders may obtain further information available on website **www.mahatransco.in** or **https://srmetender.mahatransco.in/**
Any further amendments will be published on the above referred website only, so bidders are requested to check the website.
The Bid Documents are available on website from 09.06.2023 to 10.07.2023 @ 12:00 Hrs for downloading.

Sd/-
Chief Engineer (Projects) MSETCL

GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CONSTRUCTION ENGINEER KEONJHAR (R&B) CIRCLE, KEONJHAR
No. 2820 / Date. 09.06.2023

INVITATIONS FOR BIDS (IFB)
1st Corrigendum to Bid Identification No C.C.E.K,C., Keonjhar No. 09/2023-24

B-349: The following changes are made to the works invited vide Bid Identification No C.C.E.K.C., Keonjhar No. 09/2023-24 vide Letter No. 2727 dt. 05.06.2023.

1. The bid documents in the website **www.tendersodisha.gov.in** will be available in the web site from **11.00 Hours of 17.06.2023 to 16.00 Hours of 22.06.2023** for online bidding.
2. Bids shall be received only on "online" on or before **16.00 Hours of 22.06.2023**.
3. Bids received **"on-line"** shall be opened **at 11.30 Hours on 23.06.2023** in the office of the Chief Construction Engineer, Keonjhar (R&B) Circle, Keonjhar.
4. If the office happens to be closed on the stipulated date of opening of Bids as specified, the bids will be opened on the next working day at the same time and venue.

All other terms & conditions remained unchanged.

Sd/- Chief Construction Engineer,
Keonjhar (R&B) Circle, Keonjhar

OIPR- 34033/11/0020/2324

KERALA WATER AUTHORITY e-TENDER NOTICE
Tender No : Re-E-Tender No.52/2023-24/SE/PHC/CHN

AMRUT-SAAP 2016-17 - Laying Pumping main from JnNURM WTP at Maradu to pump house at Thammanam for additional pumping of water to Kochi City - Balance Works - Deviation work - Pipe laying - Part 1 - Pipeline Work EMD: Rs. 200000; Tender fee: Rs. 13010; Last Date for submitting Tender: 30-06-2023 03:00:pm; Phone: 0484-2360645.
Website: www.kwa.kerala.gov.in; www.etenders.kerala.gov.in

Superintending Engineer
PH Circle, Kochi

KWA-JB-GL-6-457-2023-24

KARNATAKA POWER CORPORATION LIMITED
(RAICHUR THERMAL POWER STATION)
CIN : U85110KA1970SGC001919

NOTICE INVITING TENDER
(Two Part System) (Through e-Procurement Portal only)

(1) No. : KPCL/2023-24/EL/WORK_INDENT21/ Dated : 09.06.2023
Tenders are invited through GoK e-procurement portal from the agencies for the work of **"Rewinding of LT Motors of Units-1 to 8 and Outlaying area for a period of one year on rate contract basis for the year 2023-24".** Last date for receipt of tenders: **16.06.2023, up to 17.00 Hrs.**

(2) No. : KPCL/2023-24/EL/WORK_INDENT8 Dated : 10.06.2023
"Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of 11kV/ 6.6kV UAT 7A breaker and associated burnt accesseries". All other details can be downloaded from GoK e-procurement website **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** Further details can be had from the **Executive Engineer & Superintending Engineer[EM-2], RTPS, KPCL, Shaktinagar-584170, Raichur District, Phone: 9449596537, 9449596528, 9449596534, Website: www.kpcl.karnataka.gov.in**

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are hereby informed that my client has negotiated for the purchase of the immovable property described in the Schedule hereunder from its owner **Mrs. USHA GNANA SHEKHAR,** aged about 62 years, wife of Late Gnana Shekhar, Residing at No. 421/1, Krishna Temple Road, Indiranagar, 1st Stage, Bangalore : 560 038,

Any person/s having or claiming any manner of right, title, lien and interest in respect of the Schedule property may intimate the same in writing to the undersigned with documentary evidence in support thereof within **15 (Fifteen) days** from the date of publication of this notice, failing which the claims of all such person/s shall be deemed to have been waived or abandoned and my client will proceed with the conveyance as if no valid claims are subsisting against the Schedule property.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

ALL THAT PIECE AND PARCEL OF a Residential vacant site bearing **No.19, BBMP Katha No. 42/1/19, Serial No. 2841,** carved out of **Survey No. 42/1 of Kothanur Village, K.R. Puram Hobli, Bangalore** East Taluk, Bangalore and bounded on the :

EAST BY : Venkateshappa's Land;
WEST BY : Site formed in the same Survey No. 42/1;
NORTH BY : Property belonging to Mr. Manickam Shetty;
SOUTH BY : Road;
and measuring on the :
on the EAST : 40 Feet;
on the WEST : 40 Feet;
on the NORTH : 30 Feet;
on the SOUTH : 41 Feet;
Totally Measuring 1420 Square Feet.

T.K. GOWHAR BASSHA, Advocate
S.A. KHAYUM ASSOCIATES, No. 65, Wellington Street, Richmond Town, Bangalore-560 025. Mobile : 98452 15566.

Bangalore **Dated : 14.06.2023**

TATA

TATA CAPITAL HOUSING FINANCE LIMITED

Registered Address: 11th Floor, Tower A, Peninsula Business Park, Ganpatrao Kadam Marg, Lower Parel, Mumbai – 400013.
TATA CAPITAL HOUSING FINANCE LIMITED, No 82/1, Ground Floor, Krishna Towers, Richmond Road, Bengaluru – 560025

NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY
(Under Rule 9(1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002)

E-Auction Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 9(1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the below Borrower and/ Co- Borrower, or their legal heirs/representatives (Borrowers) in particular that the below described immovable property mortgaged to Tata Capital Housing Finance Ltd. (TCHFL), the Possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of TCHFL, will be sold **on 30-06-2023 on** "As is where is" & "As is what is" and "Whatever there is" basis for recovery of outstanding dues from below mentioned Borrower and Co-Borrowers. The Reserve Price and the Earnest Money Deposit is mentioned below. Notice is hereby given that, in the absence of any postponement/ discontinuance of the sale, the said secured asset / property shall be sold by E- Auction at 2.00 P.M. on the said **30-06-2023.** The sealed envelope containing Demand Draft of EMD for participating in E- Auction shall be submitted to the Authorised Officer of the TCHFL on or before **28-06-2023** till 5.00 PM at Branch address **TATA CAPITAL HOUSING FINANCE LIMITED,** No 82/1, Ground Floor, Krishna Towers, Richmond Road, Bengaluru – 560025.

The sale of the Secured Asset/ Immovable Property will be on "as is where condition is" as per brief particulars described herein below ;

Sr No	Loan A/c. No and Branch	Name of Borrower(s) / Co-borrower(s)Legal Heir(s) / Legal Representative/ Guarantor(s)	Amount as per Demand Notice	Reserve Price	Earnest Money	Possession Types
1.	TCHHL0 4930001 00072730 & TCHHF0 4930001 00072733	**Mr Nagesh G (Borrower) Decease Rept by Legal Heirs, Mrs. VARALAKSHMI G** **Mrs. VARALAKSHMI G**	**Rs. 1154498/-** (Rupees Eleven Lakh Fifty Four Thousand Four Hundred Ninety Eight Only) is due and payable by you under Agreement no. TCHHF0493000100072733 and an amount of Rs. 3723598/- (Rupees Thirty Seven Lakh Twenty Three Thousand Five Hundred Ninety Eight Only) is due and payable by you under Agreement No. TCHHL0493000100072730 totaling to Rs. 4878096/- (Rupees Forty Eight Lakh Seventy Eight Thousand Ninety Six Only) 21-11-2022	**Rs. 61,50,000/- (Rupees Sixty One Lakh Fifty Thousand Only)**	**Rs. 6,15,000/- (Rupees Six Lakh Fifteen Thousand Only)**	Physical
Description of the Immovable Property: SCHEDULE "A" PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of House bearing No. 99/9, then Bangalore Mahanagara Palike Katha No.60, (Now Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagar Palike) Ward No.84, New BBMP Ward No.50, PID No.84-166-60, (Earlier House List No.115/5, Katha No.74), measuring East to west on the Northern side 103 Feet, on Southern side 105 feet, North to South : on the Eastern Side 48 Feet, on the Western Side 140 feet, totally measuring 9776 square Feet, situated at 3rd A Cross Road, Doctor's Layout, B, Channasandra Village, K R Puram Hobli Bangalore now within the limits of Bruhath Bangalore Mahanagar Palike and and **bounded as follows: East By:** 3rd A Cross,**West By:** Private Property,**North By:** Private Property,**South By:** 4th Cross Road. **SCHEDULE "B" PROPERTY:** 534.75 Undivided Share right, title and interest in the immovable property mentioned in the schedule A Property. **SCHEDULE "C" PROPERTY:**All that piece and parcel of the Flat No.101, in the Ground Floor, of the residential Apartment "DOCTOR'S APPARTMENT" measuring 1036 Sq.Ft., super built up area constructed in the schedule "A" Property, having Two Bed Rooms, with vitrified tiles Flooring, RCC Roof with one car paring space facilities and amenities, appurtenances and easement right and bounded on the : **East By:** Flat No.104,**West By:** Parking, **North By:** Parking,**South By:** Flat No.102.						
2	10581107 & TCHHL0 646000 10007 4512	**Mrs. GAYATHRI R,.** **Mr. KRISHNA KV**	**Rs. 317483/-** (Rupees Three Lakh Seventeen Thousand Four Hundred Eighty Three Only) is due and payable by you under Agreement no.10581107 and an amount of Rs. 1445815/- (Rupees Fourteen Lakh Forty Five Thousand Eight Hundred Fifteen Only) is due and payable by you under Agreement no. TCHHL0646000100074512 totalling to Rs. 1763298/- (Rupees Seventeen Lakh Sixty Three Thousand Two Hundred Ninety Eight Only) 22-07-2022	**Rs. 17,00,000/- (Rupees Seventeen Lakh Only)**	**Rs. 1,70,000/- (Rupees One Lakh Seventy Thousand Only)**	Physical
Description of the Immovable Property: All that the piece and parcel of the Western Portion of the Property bearing Site No. 202/A, Guru Latha Layout, Rajarajeshwari, CMC Katha No's. 6/1 & 6/2 situated at Hosakerehalli Village, Uttarahalli Hobili, Bengaluru South Taluk, presently bearing Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike property Katha No. 815/433/430/202/A, BBMP Ward No.26, Rajarajeshwari Nagar Range, measuring East to West : 19 + 3/2 Feet , South to North : 30' Feet, in total 300 Sq.Ft ., along and together with 4 Squares RCC Roofed residential house with all civic amenities **Bounded :- East :-** Remaining Portion of the Property **West :-** Road, **North :-** Site No.202, **South : -**Road						

At the Auction, the public generally is invited to submit their bid(s) personally. The Borrower(s)/Co-Borrower (s) are hereby given last chance to pay the total dues with further interest within **15 days** from the date of publication of this notice, failing which the Immovable Property will be sold as per schedule. The E auction will be stopped if, amount due as aforesaid, with interest and costs (including the cost of the sale) are tendered to the Authorised Officer or proof is given to his satisfaction that the amount of such secured debt, interest and costs has been paid before the date of the auction.

No officer or other person, having any duty to perform in connection with this sale shall, however, directly or indirectly bid for, acquire or attempt to acquire any interest in the Immovable Property sold.

The sale shall be subject to the conditions prescribed in the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 and to the following further conditions:

NOTE: The E-auction of the properties will take place through portal **https://bankauctions.in/ on 30-06-2023 between 2.00 PM to 3.00 PM** with limited extension of 10 minutes each.

TERMS AND CONDITION:

1.The particulars specified in the Schedule herein below have been stated to the best of the information of the undersigned, but the undersigned shall not be answerable for any error, misstatement or omission in this proclamation. In the event of any dispute arising as to the amount bid, or as to the bidder, the Immovable Property shall at once again be put up to auction subject to the discretion of the Authorised Officer. **2.** The Immovable Property shall not be sold below the Reserve Price. **3.** Bid Increment Amount will be: Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand Only) **4.** All the Bids submitted for the purchase of the property shall be accompanied by Earnest Money as mentioned above by way of a Demand Draft favoring the "TATA CAPITAL HOUSING FINANCE LTD." Payable at Branch address. The Demand Drafts will be returned to the unsuccessful bidders after auction. For payment of EMD through NEFT/RTGS/IMPS, kindly contact Authorised Officer.**5.** The highest bidder shall be declared as successful bidder provided always that he/she is legally qualified to bid and provided further that the bid amount is not less than the reserve price. It shall be in the discretion of the Authorised Officer to decline acceptance of the highest bid when the price offered appears so clearly inadequate as to make it inadvisable to do so. **6.** For reasons recorded, it shall be in the discretion of the Authorised Officer to adjourn/discontinue the sale. **7.** Inspection of the Immovable Property can be done on **21-06-2023 between 11 AM to 5.00 PM** with prior appointment. **8.** The person declared as a successful bidder shall, immediately after such declaration, deposit twenty-five per cent of the amount of purchase money/bid which would include EMD amount to the Authorised Officer within 24Hrs and in default of such deposit, the property shall forthwith be put to fresh auction/Sale by private treaty. **9.** In case the initial deposit is made as above, the balance amount of the purchase money payable shall be paid by the purchaser to the Authorised Officer on or before the 15th day from the date of confirmation of the sale of the property, exclusive of such day, or if the 15th day be a Sunday or other holiday, then on the first office day after the 15th day. **10.** In the event of default of any payment within the period mentioned above, the property shall be put to fresh auction/ Sale by private treaty. The deposit including EMD shall stand forfeited by TATA CAPITAL HOUSING FINANCE LTD and the defaulting purchaser shall lose all claims to the property. **11.** Details of any encumbrances, known to the TATA CAPITAL HOUSING FINANCE LTD, to which the property is liable: as per table above. Claims, if any, which have been put forward to the property and any other known particulars bearing on its nature and value: as per table above. The Intending Bidder is advised to make their own independent inquiries regarding encumbrances on the property including statutory liabilities arears of property tax, electricity etc. **12.** For any other details or for procedure online training on e-auction the prospective bidders may contact the Service Provider, M/s. 4Closure, Block No.605 A, 6th Floor, Maitrivanam Commercial Complex, Ameerpet, Hyderabad – 500038 through its coordinators Mr. U.Subbarao,Mob. No.8142000061, subbarao@bankauctions.in or Manish Bansal, Email id Manish.Bansal@tatacapital.com Authorised Officer Mobile No 8588983696. Please send your query on WhatsApp Number – 9999078669 **13.** TDS of 1% will be applicable and payable by the highest bidder over the highest declared bid amount. The payment needs to be deposited by highest bidder in the PAN of the owner/ borrower(s) and the copy of the challan shall be submitted to our company **14.** Please refer to the below link provided in secured creditor's website **https://bit.ly/3CiYiSV** for the above details. **15.** Kindly also visit the link: https://www.tatacapital.com/property-disposal.html

Please Note - TCHFL has not engaged any broker/agent apart from the mentioned auctioning partner for sale/auction of this property. Interested parties should only contact the undersigned or the Authorised officer for all queries and enquiry in this matter.

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
Tata Capital Housing Finance Ltd.

Place: Bangalore
Date- 14-06-2023

ODISHA STATE CIVIL SUPPLIES CORPORATION LTD.

(A Govt. of Odisha Undertaking)
REGISTERED OFFICE : C/2, NAYAPALLI, BHUBANESWAR-751012
CIN : U51211OR1980SGC000894
Tel. No. : 0674-2395391, Fax : 0674-2395291, Website : www.oscsc.in

OSCSC-FINII-ACCT-0005-2023 Letter No. 8727 **Date : 13.06.2023**

TENDER CALL NOTICE

Responses are invited to the Request for Proposals ("RFP") from SAP Support Agency ("Bidders") for the following Work / Service.

Name of the Work / Service	RFP for SAP Support and Maintenance Services
Availability of tender documents on the e-tendering portal of Government of Odisha.	**Date: 13.06.2023** onwards
Last date of submission of Pre-Bid Querries	**Date: 22.06.2023 Time : 17:30 Hrs**
Date of Pre-Bid Meeting	**Date : 23.06.2023 Time : 11:30 Hrs**
Last Date of Submission of Bids	**Date : 10.07.2023 Time : 17:30 Hrs**

All other details can be seen from the RFP document available on the e-procurement portal of Government of Odisha (**https://tendersodisha.gov.in**) and on the websites of OSCSC Ltd (**https://oscsc.in/**), FS&CW Dept., Govt. of Odisha (**http://www.foododisha.in/**). OSCSC reserves the right to reject any or all bids without assigning any reason thereof.

Sd/- FA & CAO

IDFC FIRST Bank Limited

IDFC FIRST Bank

(erstwhile Capital First Limited, amalgamated with IDFC Bank Limited and presently known as IDFC First Bank Limited) | CIN : L65110TN2014PLC097792
Registered Office: - KRM Towers, 8th Floor, Harrington Road, Chetpet, Chennai- 600031.
Tel : +91 44 4564 4000 | Fax: +91 44 4564 4022

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13 (2) OF THE SECURITIZATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002

The following borrowers and co-borrowers availed the below mentioned secured loans from **IDFC FIRST Bank Limited (erstwhile Capital First Limited, amalgamated with IDFC Bank Limited and presently known as IDFC First Bank Limited)** The loans of the below-mentioned borrowers and co- borrowers have been secured by the mortgage of their respective properties. As they have failed to adhere to the terms and conditions of the respective loan agreements and had become irregular, their loan were classified as NPA as per the RBI guidelines. Amounts due by them to **IDFC FIRST Bank Limited (erstwhile Capital First Limited, amalgamated with IDFC Bank Limited and presently known as IDFC First Bank Limited)** are mentioned as per respective notices issued more particularly described in the following table and further interest on the said amounts shall also be applicable and the same will be charged as per contractual rate with effect from their respective dates.

Sr No.	Loan Account No.	Type of Loan	Name of borrowers and co-borrowers	Section 13 (2) Notice Date	Outstanding amount as per Section 13 (2) Notice	Property Address
1	29731710	Home Loan	1. Shivanna L 2. Shobha M H	24.05.2023	INR 26,52,318.64/-	All That Piece And Parcel Of Property Bearing Site No. 2, Old Khatha No.5545/5545 And 4532/ 5487/ 5487/ 5545/V.S.1 And E-Khatha PID No.1-4-553-171A, Measuring East To West 9.14 Mtrs. And North To South 12.19 Mtrs, In All Measuring 111.48 Sq. Mtrs., Or (30x40 Sq. Ft.), Situated At, Gangadharapura Village, 1st Division, Doddaballapura District, Bangalore Rural District, Karnataka - 561203, And Bounded On The : **East : Site No. 3 Or 1-4-553-169, West : Site No. 1 Or 1-4-553-171, North : Road, South : P/O Ameerjan Or 1-1-552-138**

You are hereby called upon to pay the amounts to **IDFC FIRST Bank Limited (erstwhile Capital First Limited, amalgamated with IDFC Bank Limited and presently known as IDFC First Bank Limited)** as per the details shown in the above table with contracted rate of interest thereupon from their respective dates and other costs, charges etc., within 60 days from the date of this publication, failing which the undersigned shall be constrained to initiate proceedings, under Section 13 (4) and section 14 of the SARFAESI Act, against the mortgaged properties mentioned hereinabove to realize the amount due to **IDFC FIRST Bank Limited (erstwhile Capital First Limited, amalgamated with IDFC Bank Limited and presently known as IDFC First Bank Limited)** . Further you are prohibited under Section 13 (13) of the said Act from transferring the said secured assets either by way of sale/lease or otherwise.

Sd/-
Authorized Officer
IDFC First Bank Limited
(erstwhile Capital First Limited, amalgamated with IDFC Bank Limited and presently known as IDFC First Bank Limited)

Date : 14.06.2023
Place : Bangalore

THE BHARAT CO-OPERATIVE BANK LIMITED

Mathikere Branch : No:1047, Opposite M S Ramaiah College Bus Stop, Triveni Road, Mathikere, Devanarapalya, Bengaluru-560022. (Ph. 080-23374010)

TENDER – CUM – AUCTION SALE NOTICE

AUCTION SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY UNDER SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002.

Whereas, **1. Mr. Vikram Prabhakar** S/o Prabhakar B L, Managing Director M/s. Vikram Structures Pvt. Ltd., **2. Mrs. Aishwaraya Vikram** W/o Vikram Prabhakar, both are residing at No.22, 5th 'A' Main Road, Near Baptist Hospital, Behind Royal Senate Hotel, Hebbal, Bangalore-560024, having failed to repay the debt in respect of borrowing from **The Bharath Co-Op Bank Ltd., Mathikere Branch, Bangalore.** The total amount due and payable by them jointly and severally as per the agreed terms and conditions is **Rs.2,33,74,923/-(Rupees Two Crore Thirty Three Lakhs Seventy Four Thousand Nine Hundred Twenty Three Only) as on 13/06/2023,** along with interest at the applicable rate and costs thereon.

Whereas the Bank has issued notice under Section 13 (2) of the SARFAESI Act, 2002 and in pursuant to and in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 13 (4) of the Act, the Authorised Officer has taken possession of the mortgaged property including those more fully described hereunder, and the Bank has decided to sell the below mentioned property under the provisions of the SARFAESI Act read with the relevant rules of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Description of the Property : KHB Site No.9, Municipal No.9, D27, II Main, II Cross, Yadavagiri Extension, Mysore-20, measuring East to West (0+121)/2 feet and North to South (0+114.6)/2 feet and bounded by the following boundaries: East: Property Nos.LIG 1,2,3, & 4, West: Property No.MIG 10 & 8, North: Property No.LIG & MIG 8, South: Road.

Date & Time of Opening Tender and Place of Auction	Reserve Price	EMD Amount
30/06/2023 at 11.30 AM The Bharath Co-Op Bank Ltd. Mathikere Branch, Bangalore.	**Rs. 2,50,00,000/- (Rupees Two Crore Fifty Laksh Only).**	**Rs.25,00,000/- (Rupees Twenty Five Lakhs Only)**

Terms and Conditions of Auction Sale: - (1) The Tender form can be collected from **The Bharath Co-Op Bank Ltd., Mathikere Branch No:1047, Opposite M S Ramaiah College Bus Stop, Triveni Road, Mathikere, Devanarapalya, Bengaluru-560022. (Ph. 080-23374010)** on all working days during office hours. **(2)** The intending bidders should submit their bids in the prescribed tender form in closed cover along with EMD of 10% of the Reserve Price by means of Demand Draft / Banker's Cheque / Pay Order drawn in favour of **The Bharath Co-Op Bank Ltd., Bangalore**- payable at Bangalore. The Demand Draft / Banker's Cheque / Pay Order shall be drawn after the date of publication of this Tender – cum – Auction Sale Notice. **(3)** Tenders not in the prescribed format will not be accepted. The tender along with the EMD shall be submitted at The Bharath Co-Op Bank Ltd., Bangalore latest by **30/06/2023 before 11.00 A M.** Tender without EMD shall be summarily rejected. **(4)** The property "SHALL NOT" be sold below the reserve price. **(5)** In case the bidder is not successful the E M D amount shall be refunded without interest. **(6)** The EMD amount shall be liable for forfeiture without prior notice, if the successful bidder fails to adhere to the terms and conditions of the Auction Sale. **(7)** The sealed tenders will be opened by the Authorised Officer in the presence of the available / attending bidders at **11.30 AM on 30/06/2023. (8)** After opening the tenders, the intending bidders may be given opportunity at the discretion of the Authorised Officer to have, intense bidding amongst themselves to enhance the offer Price. **(9)** The successful bidder shall deposit 25% of the Sale Price (inclusive of EMD) immediately after the auction sale, on the same day, in Cash or Demand Draft and the balance of the Sale Price within 15 days from the date of confirmation of sale. In case of default by the successful bidder, all the amounts deposited till then shall be forfeited without notice and the property shall be put for re-auction. **(10)** The successful bidder shall bear the statutory dues / taxes / charges / property tax / E B charges / water charges / conveyance charges such as stamp duty, registration fee etc. that is required to be paid in order to get the property conveyed in his favour, as per the applicable laws. **(11)** The Authorised Officer has absolute right to accept or reject any or all of the tender or/ bid / offer and / or adjourn / postpone / cancel the Auction Sale without assigning any reason, and also to modify an or all terms and conditions of the sale without prior notice. **(12)** The sale is subject to confirmation by the Bank. **(13)** The property can be inspected by the intending bidder between 10.00 AM and -5.00PM at his expenses at the address mentioned in the Schedule. **(14)** The property is put for sale on **"AS IS WHERE IS CONDITION" and "AS IS WHAT IS CONDITION".** The intending bidder shall satisfy himself about the title, ownership, statutory approvals, encumbrances etc. of the property.

For further details the intending bidders may contact the Authorised Officer, **The Bharath Co-Op Bank Ltd, Mathikere Branch No: 1047, Opposite M S Ramaiah College Bus Stop, Triveni Road, Mathikere, Devanarapalya, Bengaluru-560022** for ascertaining the details of property and also for inspection of property **(Ph. 080-23374010) E-Mail: bcbmath@gmail.com**

Date : 13.06.2023
Place: Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer
The Bharath Co-Op Bank Ltd

KARNATAKA STATE POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD
49, Parisara Bhavana, Church Street, Bengaluru- 560 001
Ph : 080-2558 6520 / 2558 9112 Fax : 080-2558 6321
Email: contact@kspcb.gov.in Website : https//kspcb.karnataka.gov.in

NO.PCB/08/HPI/17 Cat/2023/1219 **Dated: 09.06.2023**

ENVIRONMENTAL PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

M/s. UKEM Agre Infra Limited, have proposed to establish Sugar Plant of crushing capacity 5000 TCD, Co-generation unit of 30 MW & Multi feed (Cane Syrup/Grain/Molasses) distillery unit of capacity 300 KLPD located at Sy Nos.119/1, 119/2A, 119/3, 120/1, 120/3, 120/4, 120/5, 120/6, 121, 123/1, 123/2, 123/3, 125/1, 125/2, 130/2, 133/1, 133/2, 134/1A of Muddhaballi Village, Koppal Taluk & District in an area of 48 Acres 10 Guntas.

As Per Environment Impact Assessment Notification dated: 14.09.2006 and Amendment dated: 01.12.2009, the Project Proponent has to obtain prior Environmental Clearance from Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, GOI and is required to go through Environmental Public Hearing process. As per the Terms of Reference letter No: J-11011/289/2022-IA-II(I) dated: 22.11.2022 issued by Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, New Delhi and request letter of the project proponent received at Board office on 14.02.2023, the Environmental Public Hearing is being conducted by KSPCB.

1.	**Name of the Company & Address: M/s. UKEM Agre Infra Limited, Laksmi Business House, Manjunath Nagar Cross, Airport Road, Hubballi-580030**
2.	**Location of the Proposed Project:** Sy Nos.119/1, 119/2A, 119/3, 120/1, 120/3, 120/4, 120/5, 120/6, 121, 123/1, 123/2, 123/3, 125/1, 125/2, 130/2, 133/1, 133/2, 134/1A of Muddhaballi Village, Koppal Taluk & District.
3.	**Project proposed:** Establishment of Sugar Plant of crushing capacity 5000 TCD, Co-generation unit of 30 MW & Multi feed (Cane Syrup/Grain/Molasses) distillery unit of capacity 300 KLPD.
4.	**Date, time and venue of Environmental Public Hearing: Date: 14.07.2023 (Friday). Time: 11:00 A.M Place: Project site, M/s. UKEM Agre Infra Limited, Muddhaballi Village, Koppal Taluk & District.**
5.	**Places of availability of project documents as per EIA Notification, which is kept open to public are:** (a) Office of the Deputy Commissioner, Koppal (b) Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Panchayat, Koppal (c) District Industries Centre, Koppal District. (d) Office of the Regional Officer, Regional Office, Karnataka State Pollution Control Board, Building No.09/7/680 /30A, B.T Patil Nagar, 3rd Cross, Near Focus Mart, Koppal-583231. (e) Gondabala Village Panchayat, Koppal Taluk & District. (f) Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change South Zone Office, E-3/240, Kendriya Sadan, 4th Floor, E&F Wings, 17th Main Road, 2nd Block, Koramangala, Bengaluru – 560 034. (g) **HELP DESK,** Karnataka State Pollution Control Board, Ground Floor, No.49, Parisara Bhavan, Church Street, Bengaluru – 560 001.

NOTE: Suggestions, views, comments and objections of interested bonafide residents, environmental groups and others located at project site and likely to be affected by the proposed project are invited within 30 days from the date of publication of this Notice. They can also make oral/written/E-Mail suggestions to the Karnataka State Pollution Control Board/Chairman, Environmental Public Hearing Committee (Deputy Commissioner, Koppal District). Interested public can participate in the Public Hearing at the above mentioned place & Time. For further details please visit kspcb website: **http://kspcb.karnataka.gov.in.**

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IFT No. : MMU/Engg-Civil/E-Procu./Tender-114 & 115/2023-24 Date : 09.06.2023

TENDER NOTIFICATION

(Through e-Procurement Portal Only)

Mandya Milk Union Ltd. invites e-Tenders for **1)** Main dairy BITUMIN Road work and concrete road works at Product Dairy Gejjalagere, Mandya. Qty: **01 Job**, EMD (Rs.) : **2,71,000/-**, No. of Calls : Second call **2)** Main dairy Milk Reception dock renovation work at MANMUL, Qty: **01 Job**, EMD (Rs.) : **68,500/-**, No. of Calls : **Second call.** Tenderer's can download document from : **12-06-2023 to 01-07-2023 upto 17.00 hrs**. Pre-Bid meeting (Sl.No.1 only) : **23.06.2023 at 11. hrs.** Last date for submission of Tender : **01-07-2023 upto 17.00 hrs.** Opening of Technical Tender (Part-1) on : **03-07-2023 after 11.30 hrs.** Opening of Commercial Tender (Part-2) on : **Will be Intimated.** Interested Tenderer's may download bidding documents from the e-procurement portal version-2 **https://KPPP.karnataka.gov.in** and also contact helpline No: **080-25501227/25501216**, e-mail:**hphelpdesk.blr@intarvo.com**. For more information contact Manager (Engg) Mobile No. 9535773140.

Sd/-
Managing Director

IN THE COURT OF THE PRINCIPAL CIVIL JUDGE J.M.F.C. AT DEVANAHALLI

Crl. Misc. No. 194/2023

Between: Sheik Umar and others ...**Petitioners**
And: The Tahsildar, Yelahanka Taluk...Respondent

PUBLIC NOTICE

I the undersigned advocate on behalf of my client Sheik Umar S/o Late. Sheik Mohiddin, aged about 74 years, R/at:- Buden Sab Palya Village, Jala Hobli, Yelahanka Taluk and others have filed the above petition for the death certificate of their grandfather namely **Late. Yakub Sab S/o Late. Hyder Sab died on 05.03.1961** at Budensab Palya Village, Jala Hobli, Yelahanka Taluk. If any parties who have objections may dispute regarding the same can appear before the Hon'ble Principal Civil Judge and JMFC at Devanahalli and the date of hearing **on 06.07.2023 at 11.00 A.M.** in Crl.Mis No. 194/2023.

By Order of the Court, Chief Ministerial Officer, Civil Judge & JMFC Court, Devanahalli

Address for Service : **M. Venkatagiriyappa, Sri. V. Shivakumar**, Advocates
Office at: 2nd Floor, Suchi Complex, Behind New Bus Stand, Devanahalli Town, Devanahalli Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District.

IN THE COURT OF THE PRINCIPAL CIVIL JUDGE J.M.F.C. AT DEVANAHALLI

Crl. Misc. No. 195/2023

Between: Sheik Umar and others ...**Petitioners**
And: The Tahsildar, Yelahanka Taluk ...Respondent

PUBLIC NOTICE

I the undersigned advocate on behalf of my client Sheik Umar S/o Late. Sheik Mohiddin, aged about 74 years, R/at:- Buden Sab Palya Village, Jala Hobli, Yelahanka Taluk and others have filed the above petition for the death certificate of their grandmother namely **Late Hussain Bi W/o. Late. Yakub Sab who died on 18.11.1962** at Budensab Palya Village, Jala Hobli, Yelahanka Taluk. If any parties who have objections may dispute regarding the same can appear before the Hon'ble Principal Civil Judge and JMFC at Devanahalli and the date of hearing **on 06.07.2023 at 11.00 A.M.** in Crl.Mis No. 195/2023.

By Order of the Court, Chief Ministerial Officer, Civil Judge & JMFC Court, Devanahalli

Address for Service : **M. Venkatagiriyappa, Sri. V. Shivakumar**, Advocates
Office at: 2nd Floor, Suchi Complex, Behind New Bus Stand, Devanahalli Town, Devanahalli Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District.

THE COURT OF THE XCI ADDL, CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE AND SPECIAL JUDGE FOR KPIDFE ACT AT BENGALURU

BETWEEN : **Misc No.295/2023**

The Competent Authority,
for M/s. Ambidant Marketing Private Limited, 3rd Floor, Mini V.V.Tower, Podium Block, Dr.Ambedkar Veedhi, Bengaluru-560001. Rep by its Competent Authority, Dr. Ashok D.R, Joint Secretary .... Petitioner
AND
M/s. Ambidant Marketing Private Limited, Regd Office: at No.9A, K.H.B. Main Road, Kanakanagara, R.T.Nagar Post, Bengaluru-560032. (Registered vide No. CIN U74999KA2016PT98612 by RoC, Koramangala, Bangalore) Represented by its Managing Director Syed Fareed Ahmed S/o. D.S.Jalaluddin, Aged 58 years, Presently he is in Kanpur City District Jail, Address at : The Jail Superintendent, Kanpur City District Jail, Kanpur City, Uttar Pradesh and 2 others.
...... Respondents

Notice to Respondent No. 2
2. M/s Ambident Construction Pvt Ltd, A company incorporated under provisions of the Companies Act,1956 having Registered office at : No-9/A, 1st Floor, KHB Main Road, Kanaka Nagara, Bengaluru - 560032. Rep by its Authorised Signatory Mr. Syed Usman Ahmed.
Whereas, the petitioner has filed the above petition under section 5(2) of the KPIDFE Act 2004 against Respondent.
The Respondent No.2 is hereby issued show cause notice u/s 12 (1) of KPIDFE Act 2004, to appear in court of the XCI Addl City Civil & Sessions Judge (CCH-92) at Bengaluru, in person or by a pleader duly instructed and able to answer all material questions relating to above petition on **3rd July 2023 at 11.00 Clock** in the forenoon.
Take notice that in default of your appearance on the date above mentioned petition will be heard and determined in your absence.
Given under my hand and seal of the court on this day **06th June 2023.**

BY ORDER OF THE COURT
Sd/- Assistant Registrar, City Civil Court, Bengaluru

DIPR/CP/248B/Zenkar/2023-24 **Sri Venkatesh P. Dalwai.**, Special Public Prosecutor

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THE COURT OF THE XCI ADDL, CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE AND SPECIAL JUDGE FOR KPIDFE ACT AT BENGALURU

BETWEEN : **Misc No.274/2023**

The Competent Authority,
for M/s. Ambidant Marketing Private Limited, 3rd Floor, Mini V.V.Tower, Podium Block, Dr.Ambedkar Veedhi, Bengaluru-560001. Rep by its Competent Authority, Dr. Ashok D.R, Joint Secretary .... Petitioner
AND
M/s. Ambidant Marketing Private Limited, Regd Office: at No.9A, K.H.B. Main Road, Kanakanagara, R.T.Nagar Post, Bengaluru-560032. (Registered vide No. CIN U74999KA2016PT98612 by ROC, Koramangala, Bangalore) Represented by its Managing Director Syed Fareed Ahmed S/o. D.S.Jalaluddin, Aged 58 years, R/a No. 374, Kushal Nagara, Opposite Hanifiya Masjid, Venkateshpuram, Bangalore - 560045 and 2 others.
...... Respondents

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Take notice that in default of your appearance on the date above mentioned petition will be heard and determined in your absence.
Given under my hand and seal of the court on this day **06th June 2023.**

BY ORDER OF THE COURT
Sd/- Assistant Registrar, City Civil Court, Bengaluru

DIPR/CP/248/Zenkar/2023-24 **Sri Venkatesh P. Dalwai.**, Special Public Prosecutor

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IN THE COURT OF THE CITY CIVIL JUDGE, AT BANGALORE

P & SC No. 25036/2023 (CCH-29)

1. **KAMAKSHI RAJARAM,** Aged about 79 years, D/o. Late. M. Subramanian alias Subramanyam Iyer, W/o. Rajaram.R, Residing at Near Jayanthi Theatre, 3F, Chand Towers, 128, Lattice Bridge Road, Thiruvanmiyur, Chennai-600 041, Tamil Nadu.
2. **MALATHI KAPOOR,** Aged about 74 years, D/o. Late. M. Subramanian alias Subramanyam Iyer, W/o. Charanjilal Kapoor alias C.L. Kapoor, Residing at Apartment No.A-309, URBANA IRENE, Ozone Urbana Township, Kannamangala, Devanahalli Taluk, Bengaluru-562 110.
3. **S.NITHYA KALYANI,** Aged about 72 years, D/o. Late. M. Subramanian alias Subramanyam Iyer, W/o.V.Shankaran, Residing at 12-10-416/5/A, Raj Residency, Namalagundu, Opp. Sridevi Nursing Home, Hyderabad-500 061, Telangana.
4. **S.SHANKARA NARAYANAN,** Aged about 69 years, S/o. Late. M. Subramanian alias Subramanyam Iyer, Residing at No.25, 1st Floor, Cheyyur Parthasarathi Street, Perambur, Chennai-600 011, Tamil Nadu.
5. **CHITRA S IYER,** Aged about 61 years, D/o. Late. M. Subramanian alias Subramanyam Iyer, W/o. Lakshmipathi Kolar, Residing at No.405, 4th Floor, Sree Arcade, 12th Main Road, Shivanagar, Rajajinagar, Bengaluru-560 010. **...Petitioners**

-Vs-

NIL ...Respondent

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that, before this Hon'ble Court a Memorandum of Petition has been filed under Section 218 of the Indian Succession Act for grant of Letter of Administration in favour of the Petitioners in respect of the Schedule 'A', 'B' & 'C' Properties as the only successors in the interest to succeed to deceased Late. S. Ravi, died intestate on 04-03-2023. Be it know to all that no caveat has been entered and the said Petition is posted for hearing **on 28-08-2023 at 11.00. o'clock** before the Hon'ble Court of City Civil Judge, (CCH-29), Bangalore. Any persons claiming have any interest may come and participate in the proceedings before the grant of Letter of Administration.

SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY

20%(twenty percent) undivided share, right and interest in Property bearing BBMP No.39, vide PID No.9-71-39, situated at 4th Main Road, 'E' Block, Subramanya Nagar, Bengaluru (Previously Site No.1230, situated at 2nd Stage, Rajajinagar Extension, Bangalore) i.e., **20% (twenty percent) undivided share in land works out to 480 Sq. Ft. out of total land measuring 2400 sq. Ft. and 20% (twenty percent) share in Building works out to 200 Sq. Ft. out of total building measuring 1000 Sq. Ft. in Ground Floor and 200 Sq. Ft. out of total building measuring 1000 Sq. Ft. in First Floor** and the entire larger property is bounded on the:
East by : Road; West by : Property bearing Site No.1101;
North by : Property bearing Site No.1229; South by : Property bearing Site No.1231.

SCHEDULE 'B' PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of Property bearing Site No.369, situated at 3rd Block, Gnanabharathi (Valagerehally) Layout, Bengaluru, measuring East to West 12.20 Mtrs. and North to South 9.15 Mtrs. in total measuring 111.63 Sq. Mtrs. and the entire Schedule 'B' Property is bounded on the:
East by : Property bearing Site No.370; West by : Road;
North by : Property bearing Site No.369/A; South by : Property bearing Site No.368.

SCHEDULE 'C' PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of Property bearing Apartment/Flat No.G2, in Ground Floor, measuring 1320 Sq. Ft. of Super Built Up Area with 170 Sq. Ft. of Undivided Share of land along with 1(one) Car Parking Area, constructed in Property bearing new Municipal Katha No.01 (Old No.1000) having PID No.9-67-1, situated at 3rd 'A' Main, 2nd Stage, 'E' Block, Rajajinagar, Bengaluru and the entire Schedule 'C' Property is bounded on the:
East by : Property bearing Site No.1080; West by : Road;
North by : Property bearing Flat No.G1; South by : Property bearing Site No.1002.

Given under my hand and seal of the Court of this 06th day of June 2023.

Advocate for Petitioners :
MUNI GOVINDA RAJU, Advocate
No.311-A (6/78), 3rd Floor, Mittal Tower, M.G. Road, Bengaluru-560 001.

BY ORDER OF THE COURT, Deputy Registrar, City Civil Court, Mayo Hall Unit, Bengaluru.

SWARNABHARATHI SAHAKARA BANK N.,

No.2229, 23rd Cross, Banashankari 2nd Stage, Bangalore-560070. Phone No. 080-26762629/30, 41122816

POSSESSION NOTICE [Rule 8(1)] (For Immovable Properties)

Whereas, The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the **Swarnabharathi Sahakara Bank N.,** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the power conferred under Section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 issued demand notices calling upon the following Borrowers / Guarantors / Mortgagers to repay the amount mentioned in the notice with further interest / cost etc,. **within 60 days** from the date of the said notice. Details of demand notices such as date of issue and loan outstanding amount are mentioned against each borrower under.

1. Name of the Borrowers/Mortgagers/Guarantors: (1) Mrs. Dhamayanthi W/o Late D Kapila **(2) Mrs. Shalini** D/o Late D Kapila **(3) Mrs. Suma** D/o Late D Kapila **(4) Mrs. Renu** D/o Late D Kapila all are residing at No.13, Venkateshwara Nilaya, 20th Cross, Viveknagar Post Ejipura, Bangalore-560047.
Demand notice dated : 14.08.2020 Possession Notice Date : 13.06.2023
Total amount mentioned in the notice: Rs.1,98,70,000/- (Rupees One Crore Ninety Eight Lakhs Seventy Thousand Only) as on **31/05/2023** and interest thereon.
Description of the Immovable Property : Documents deposited with Second Party relating to the property which is in the possession of Smt. Dhamayanthi W/o Late D Kapila, Mrs. Shalini D/o Late D Kapila, Mrs. Suma D/o Late D Kapila, and Mrs. Renu D/o Late D Kapila bearing No.451/4, measuring East to West 12.19 meters or 40 feet and North to South 18.29 meters or 60 feet, situated at Ejipura, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, together with the building constructed thereon measuring 15 squares, presently known as property baring New No.24, 18th Cross, Ejipura, Bengaluru, Ejipura Ward No.68/148, Vide PID No.68-15-24 and bounded on: East : Property Smt. A Lakshmi Ammal, West : Property of Sri. K. Krishnappa, North: Property of Annayappa, South: Road.

2. Name of the Borrowers/Mortgagers/Guarantors: (1) Mrs. Sukanya (2) Mr. Rajshekar K P and **(3) Sanjay K R** all are residing at No.134/13/8, 27th Cross, Jayanagar, 3rd Block, Bangalore-560011.
Demand notice dated : 18.12.2019 Possession Notice Date : 13.06.2023
Total amount mentioned in the notice: **Rs.1,38,10,000/-** (Rupees One Crore Thirty Eight Lakhs Ten Thousand Only) as on **29/05/2023** and interest thereon.
Description of the Immovable Property : All that piece and parcel of the immovable residential property bearing Corporation New Municipal No.13/8, Old CITB No.134, Situated at 27th Cross, 3rd Block East, Jayanagar, Bangalore-560011, ward No.169(Old No.60), PID No.169-W0110-12 (Old PID No.60-131-13/8), together with all rights, appurtenances, whatsoever whether underneath or the surface measuring East to West (40+44)/2 feet and North to South 60 feet, totally measuring 2520 sq. ft. and bounded on: East : Site No.133, West : Site No.135, North: Quarry Pit, South: Road.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section (4) of Section 13 of the Act read with rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on above mentioned dates.
The Borrowers / Guarantors / Mortgagers and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the properties and any dealings with the properties will be subject to the charge of **Swarna Bharathi Sahakara Bank Niyamitha, Banashankari 2nd Stage, Bengaluru** for the amount mentioned against their names with further interest accrued thereon cost.
The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of Section 13 (8) of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Date : 13.06.2023
Place : Bangalore
Sd/- Authorised Officer
Swarna Bharathi Sahakara Bank Niyamitha

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E-PROCUREMENT TENDER NOTICE

E-Procurement Tender is invited for hiring of Trolly Mounted Lifter having capacity 1 Ton and 2 Ton for to and fro transportation of distribution transformer etc and crane system for loading / unloading of power Transformer (3.15 MVA/5.0 MVA) on 24 hours basis under TN-1921 (UBN JVV2324SLOB00173). Details regarding Quantity, Tender cost, Earnest Money, Schedule date of tender opening for aforesaid tenders are available on our website at **www.energy.rajasthan.gov.in/jdvvnl** and also at **http://sppp.rajasthan.gov.in**.

Raj.Samwad/C/23/3900 **SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER (MM&C)**

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NOTICE INVITING TENDER

Online bids are invited to procure 2000 MW power w.e.f. 06:00 hrs to 18:00 hrs from 1st November 2023 to 29th February 2024 on short term basis from various Generators/ State Utilities/ CPPs/ Distribution Licensees/ SEBs/ Trading Licensees as per specification under TN-19/RUVNL/FY 2023-24.May visit website **www.mstcecommerce.com/ www.energy.rajasthan.gov.in/ruvks/#/home/dptHome** for further details.

RUVN/PR-56(2023)
Raj.samwad/C/23/3896 **Superintending Engineer (PP)**

IndiaRF India Resurgence ARC Private Limited

3rd Floor, Unit No.304, Piramal Tower, Peninsula Corporate Park, Lower Parel, Mumbai-400013

APPENDIX IV - [PROVISO TO RULE 8(6) & 9(1)]

PUBLIC NOTICE FOR E-AUCTION FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

E-auction sale notice for sale of Immovable Property under SARFAESI Act, 2002 read with proviso to rule 8(6) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.
Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to borrowers and guarantors, details whereof are mentioned below, that the below described Immovable Property mortgaged/charged to the **India Resurgence ARC Private Limited (India RF/Secured Creditor)**, the **Physical Possession** of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of India RF/Secured Creditor **on 09-03-2023** will be sold on **03-07-2023 "AS IS WHERE IS BASIS", "AS IS WHAT IS BASIS" and "WHATEVER THERE IS BASIS"** as per the brief particulars mentioned in the schedule.

Name of the Account/Borrowers/Guarantors	Name of the owner of the property	Nature of Possession and date	*Outstanding Amount (as on current date) & date of demand notice	Reserve Price (INR)	EMD/ Bid Increase Amount	Last date of submission of bid	Date/ Time of e-Auction	**Known encumbrances if any
1. M/S SANTOSHI POLYMERS, Represented by Mr. Dinesh Keshwarao Atkare having its office at Sy No 372/8(8), Hingraj Industrial Estate, Dabhel, Daman and Diu-396210. **2. Mr. Dinesh Keshwarao Atkare,** Residing at 202, Shubham Tower-1, Sarthak Co-op Village, Chala Taluka Pardi, District Valsad Vapi-396215. **3. Mr. Amresh Shantilal Shah,** Residing at 503, Nandial Co-op HSG SOC Ltd, Ridhi Place of S V Road, Near Kora Kendra Borivali (W), Mumbai-400092. **4. Mrs. Dipali Dinesh Atkare,** Residing at 202, Shubham Tower-1, Sarthak Co-op Village, Chala Taluka Pardi, District Valsad Vapi-396215. **5. Mr. Manan Shah,** Residing at 503, Nandial Co-Op-HSG SOC Ltd, Ridhi Place of S.V.Road, Near Kora Kendra Borivali (W), Mumbai-400092.	Mr. Dinesh Keshwarao Atkare	Physical Possession taken on 09-03-2023	Total outstanding as on 31-05-2023 is Rs.10,05,24,208.50/- (Rupees Ten Crore Five Lakh Twenty Four Thousand Two Hundred and Eight and Fifty Paise Only) Demand Notice dated 02-07-2019	Rs. 3,07,90,125/- (Indian Rupees Three Crore Seven Lakh Ninety Thousand One Hundred and Twenty Five Only)	Rs.30,79,012.50 (Rupees Thirty Lakh Seventy Nine Thousand Twelve and Fifty Paise Only) Bid Increase amount Rs.1,00,000/- [Rupees One Lakh]	30-06-2023 (5 P.M)	03-07-2023 10A.M - 11 A.M	Nil

DETAILS OF PROPERTY:-
BBMP Apartment No 103, "B" Block in the GF named as **"Gardenia Residency"** measuring 1350 Sq Feet of Super Built up area along with 338 Sq.Feet of UDS
BBMP Apartment No 104, "A" Block in the FF Named as "Gardenia Residency" measuring 1740 Sq Feet of Super Built up area along with 417 Sq Feet of UDS
BBMP Apartment No 101, "B" Block in the GF Named as "Gardenia Residency" measuring 1680 Sq Feet of Super Built up area along with 402 Sq Feet of UDS
BBMP Apartment No 204, "A" Block in the GF Named as "Gardenia Residency" measuring 1575 Sq Feet of Super Built up area along with 378 Sq Feet of UDS
In the property BBMP Khara No 36 [Previously 1A, Kumbarasule Road] situated at H Siddaiah Road, Bangalore-560027.

*together with further interest as applicable, incidental expenses, costs, charges, etc. incurred up to the date of payment and realisation thereof.
**other than the encumbrances mentioned in the table above, there are no encumbrances on the Immovable property to the best of knowledge of Authorised Officer of Secured Creditor. The intending bidders should do their own independent diligence regarding the encumbrances, title of the Immovable Property. The Authorised Officer/ Secured Creditor shall not be responsible in any way for any third-party claims/ rights/ dues.

TERMS & CONDITIONS

1. E-Auction/bidding shall be only through "Online Electronic Bidding" through the website https://www.bankauctions.in. Bidders are advised to go through the website for detailed terms & process before taking part in the e-Auction sale proceedings.
2. The property & property documents can be inspected, with prior appointment with Authorized Officer on or before the date for e-Auction mentioned.
3. The Immovable property will not be sold below the Reserve Price (RP) and accordingly the participating bidders are invited to bid more than the RP and may enhance their offer further during auction process as specified by the agency conducting the auction i.e. M/s.C1 India Private Ltd,.
4. The interested bidders before the last date & time of submission of the Bid shall submit their Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) to Elexa Resolution Advisors LLP, duly authorised service provider of India RF at their office at 601, 6th Floor, Time Towers, Sector 28, MG Road, Gurugram, Haryana-122002 through Demand Draft/NEFT/RTGS/PAY ORDER in favor of "India Resurgence ARC Trust IV", HDFC Bank Limited, Account Number- 57500000341064, IFSC Code: HDFC0000060 payable at Mumbai. Please note that the Cheques shall not be accepted as EMD amount.
5. Interested bidder shall submit copy of the following documents with the Authorised Officer **Ms. Ragini M.K, ragini.k@indiarf.com** or with **Mr. Sangamesh Masti, 9886051974, sangamesh@elexa.co.in, a)** Photocopy of Demand Draft/RTGS/NEFT/ PAY ORDER details towards EMD amount. **b)** Self-attested photocopies of KYCs and address proof such as PAN Card, Voter ID Card/ Driving License/ Passport/ Aadhar Card etc. **c)** Bidders Name, Contact No., Address, e-mail ID. **d)** Bidder's account details for online refund of EMD.
6. Post registration (one time) by the bidder, the interested bidder may upload the details of aforementioned documents on the Web Portal.
7. The intending bidders should register their names at portal **https://www.bankauctions.in** and get their User ID and password free of cost. It shall be the obligation of the prospective bidder to avail online training on E- Auction from the agency conducting the auction/service provider namely **M/s.C1 India Private Ltd, Chennai** and Contact Person: **M Prabakaran: 07418281709, email: tn@c1india.com**, and for any property related query may contact Mr. Sangamesh Masti during the working hours from Monday to Saturday. Neither the Authorised Officer/Secured Creditor nor the agency conducting auction shall be liable for any Internet Network problem and the interested bidders to ensure that they are technically well equipped for participating in the e-Auction event.
8. Only buyers holding valid KYC, address proof, user ID/ Password and confirmed payment of EMD through any of the mode mentioned above in favor of "India Resurgence ARC Trust II" shall be eligible for participating in the e-Auction process.
9. During the Online Inter-se Bidding, bidder can improve their bid amount as per the 'Bid Increase Amount' (as indicated by the agency conducting the auction namely **M/s.C1 India Private Ltd.**) or its multiples. In case bid is placed during the last 5 minutes of the closing time of the e-Auction, the closing time will automatically get extended for 5 minutes (each time till the closure of e-Auction process), otherwise, it'll automatically get closed. The bidder who submits the highest bid amount (not below the Reserve Price) on the closure of the e-Auction process shall be declared as the highest bidder by the agency holding auctions. The Authorised Officer post verification of the documents and other information shall thereafter declare such highest bidder as successful bidder and shall confirm the sale in his favour subject to confirmation by the Secured Creditor.
10. The EMD of the successful bidder shall be retained towards part sale consideration and the EMD of unsuccessful bidders shall be refunded. The EMD shall not bear any interest.
11. The successful bidder shall immediately pay 25% of the amount of sale price (inclusive of the earnest money already deposited) on the same day or not later than next working day from the date of confirmation of sale in favor of Secured Creditor in the account as mentioned hereinabove. The balance 75% of the sale price shall be paid on or before 15th day of confirmation of sale or within such extended period as agreed upon in writing between the purchaser and the Secured Creditor, which shall not in case exceed three months.
12. In the case of default of payment within the prescribed time mentioned above, the amounts deposited by the purchaser shall be forfeited by the Secured Creditor and the property shall be resold by the Secured creditor. All the claims and rights over the property of the defaulting purchaser shall stand forfeited.
13. Once the terms of the payments mentioned above have been complied, the Authorised Officer shall issue certificate of sale of the immovable property in favor of the purchaser.
14. The purchaser shall bear the applicable stamp duties/ additional stamp duty/ transfer charges, fees etc. and also all the statutory/ non-statutory dues, taxes, rates, assessment charges, fees etc. owing to anybody in relation to the property.
15. The Authorized Officer in its sole discretion may accept or reject any bid, adjourn/ postpone/ cancel the e- Auction without any prior notice and without assigning any reason thereof.
16. The bidders are advised to go through the detailed Terms & Conditions of e-Auction Process available on the web portal of **https://www.bankauctions.in**, before submitting their bids and taking part in the e-Auction.
17. Special Instructions: Bidding in the last moment should be avoided. Neither the Secured Creditor nor Service provider will be responsible for any technical lapse/ power or internet failure etc. In order to avoid such contingent situations bidders are requested to ensure that they are technically well equipped and have all alternatives such as power supply back-up etc., so that they are able to circumvent such situation and are able to participate in the online Inter-se Bidding, successfully.
18. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained hereinabove, if the borrower has paid the outstanding amount along with future interest computable till the date of payment in full any time before the date of publication of this notice for public auction, in such an event in terms of section 13 (8) of SARFAESI Act, 2002, the Secured Creditor shall not transfer the Secured Assets by way of lease, assignment or sale.

Date: 13-06-2023, Place: Bangalore **Sd/- Authorised Officer, India Resurgence ARC Private Limited**

IN THE COURT OF THE 13TH ADDITIONAL CITY CIVIL JUDGE, MAYO HALL UNIT, AT BANGALORE

P & SC No. 25037/2023 (CCH-22)

1. **KAMAKSHI RAJARAM,** Aged about 79 years, D/o. Late. M. Subramanian alias Subramanyam Iyer, W/o.Rajaram.R, Residing at Near Jayanthi Theatre, 3F, Chand Towers, 128, Lattice Bridge Road, Thiruvanmiyur, Chennai-600 041, Tamil Nadu.
2. **MALATHI KAPOOR,** Aged about 74 years, D/o. Late. M. Subramanian alias Subramanyam Iyer, W/o.Charanjilal Kapoor alias C.L. Kapoor, Residing at Apartment No. A-309, URBANA IRENE, Ozone Urbana Township, Kannamangala, Devanahalli Taluk, Bengaluru-562 110.
3. **S. NITHYA KALYANI,** Aged about 72 years, D/o. Late. M. Subramanian alias Subramanyam Iyer, W/o.V.Shankaran, Residing at 12-10-416/5/A, Raj Residency, Namalagundu, Opp. Sridevi Nursing Home, Hyderabad-500 061, Telangana.
4. **S. SHANKARA NARAYANAN,** Aged about 69 years, S/o. Late. M. Subramanian alias Subramanyam Iyer, Residing at No.25, 1st Floor, Cheyyur Parthasarathi Street, Perambur, Chennai-600 011, Tamil Nadu.
5. **CHITRA S IYER,** Aged about 61 years, D/o. Late. M. Subramanian alias Subramanyam Iyer, W/o. Lakshmipathi Kolar, Residing at No.405, 4th Floor, Sree Arcade, 12th Main Road, Shivanagar, Rajajinagar, Bengaluru-560 010. **...Petitioners**

-Vs-

NIL ...Respondent

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that, before this Hon'ble Court a Memorandum of Petition has been filed under Section 372 of the Indian Succession Act for grant of Succession Certificate in favour of the Petitioners in respect of the Schedule 'A', 'B' & 'C' Properties as the only successors in the interest to succeed to deceased Late.S.Ravi, died intestate on 04-03-2023. Be it know to all that no caveat has been entered and the said Petition is posted for hearing **on 17-07-2023 at 11.00. o'clock** before the Hon'ble Court of 13th Additional City Civil Judge, (CCH-22), Mayo Hall Unit, Bangalore. Any persons claiming have any interest may come and participate in the proceedings before the grant of Succession Certificate.

SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY

Savings Bank Account No.520101231601685, at Union Bank of India, Rajajinagar Branch, Bengaluru having balance amount of Rs.2,19,500=85 (Rupees two lakhs nineteen thousand five hundred and paise eighty five only) as on 04-03-2023.

SCHEDULE 'B' PROPERTY

Sl. No.	Bank Particulars	Fixed Deposit Receipt No.	Fixed Deposit Amount	Maturity Date	Maturity Amount
1.	Corporation Bank, now Bank of India, Rajajinagar Branch, Bengaluru	225192	3,20,000=00	20-06-2023	Rs.3,20,000=00 with 5.85% interest for 12 months
2.	Union Bank of India, Rajajinagar Branch, Bengaluru	791746	1,25,000=00	18-10-2023	Rs.1,25,000=00 with 7.10% interest for 12 months 1 day
3.	Union Bank of India, Rajajinagar Branch, Bengaluru	104110	3,00,000=00	07-02-2024	Rs.3,00,000=00 with 6.8% interest for 12 months 1 day
4.	Union Bank of India, Rajajinagar Branch, Bengaluru	104814	2,00,000=00	16-06-2023	Rs.2,00,000=00 with 5.6% interest for 12 months 1 day
5.	Union Bank of India, Rajajinagar Branch, Bengaluru	463212	2,50,000=00	18-08-2024	Rs.2,98,790=00 with 6% interest for 36 months 1 day

SCHEDULE 'C' PROPERTY

SHARES

Sl. No.	Name of Company	Date of Allotment	No. of Shares	Certificate No.	Face Value of the Shares (in rupees)
1.	Tata Timken Limited	04-11-1991	100	00082252	10=00
2.	Tata Timken Limited	04-11-1991	100	00069167	10=00
3.	Nahar Exports Limited	25-04-1991 15-06-1991	100	18137	10=00
4.	Nahar Exports Limited	24-08-1993	50	49751	10=00
5.	Nahar Exports Limited	24-08-1993	20	49752	10=00
6.	Nahar Exports Limited	24-08-1993	10	49753	10=00
7.	The Industrial Credit & Investment Corporation of India Limited	06-02-1995	50	00458982	10=00
8.	The Industrial Credit & Investment Corporation of India Limited	06-02-1995	50	00458983	10=00
9.	The Industrial Credit & Investment Corporation of India Limited	06-02-1995	50	00458984	10=00
10.	The Industrial Credit & Investment Corporation of India Limited	31-03-1995	20	04046741	10=00
11.	The Industrial Credit & Investment Corporation of India Limited	31-03-1995	10	04046742	10=00
12.	The Industrial Credit & Investment Corporation of India Limited	31-03-1995	2	04046743	10=00
13.	The Industrial Credit & Investment Corporation of India Limited	31-03-1995	1	04046744	10=00
14.	Nuchem Plastics Ltd.,	13-11-1990 / 28-01-1991	50	0162048	10=00
15.	Nuchem Plastics Ltd.,	13-11-1990 / 28-01-1991	50	0162049	10=00
16.	Max India Limited	20-04-1991	25	86765	10=00
17.	Max India Limited	20-04-1991	25	122066	10=00
18.	Gujarat Ambuja Steel Limited	27-06-1991	100	057903	10=00
19.	Nahar Exports Limited	03-12-1994 / 31-01-1995	100	98134	10=00
20.	Goldstar Steel & Alloy Limited	16-05-1991 / 29-06-1991	100	187291	10=00
21.	Goldstar Steel & Alloy Limited	23-07-1992	50	444827	10=00
22.	Goldstar Steel & Alloy Limited	23-07-1992	10	444828	10=00
23.	Restile Ceramics Limited	24-02-1992	100	62753	10=00
24.	Panchmahal Steel Limited	23-03-1994	100	21063	10=00
25.	UB Petroproducts Limited	27-11-1989	100	18933	10=00
26.	Lord Krishna Bank Limited	29-06-1992	50	019882	10=00
27.	Lord Krishna Bank Limited	29-06-1992	50	019883	10=00
28.	Fine-Line Circuits Limited	19-11-1991 / 31-01-1992	100	454	10=00
29.	Gujarat Ambuja Proteins Limited	10-05-1990 / 31-07-1990	50	062909	10=00
30.	Gujarat Ambuja Proteins Limited	12-10-1992	25	0386532	10=00
31.	Gujarat Ambuja Proteins Limited	12-10-1992	25	0471961	10=00
32.	Magnetix (India) Limited	26-11-1986	100	8629	10=00
33.	Essar Gujarat Limited	01-06-1990	50	00479162	10=00
34.	Essar Gujarat Limited	01-06-1992 / 22-07-1992	50	1782488	10=00
35.	Essar Gujarat Limited	01-04-1994	50	05926683	45=00
36.	Essar Gujarat Limited	01-04-1994	10	05926684	45=00
37.	Essar Gujarat Limited	01-04-1994	10	05926685	45=00
38.	Essar Gujarat Limited	01-04-1994	10	05926686	45=00
39.	Essar Gujarat Limited	01-04-1994	10	05926687	45=00
40.	Essar Gujarat Limited	18-01-1993	10	05926677	10=00
41.	Essar Gujarat Limited	18-01-1993	10	05926678	10=00
42.	Essar Gujarat Limited	18-01-1993	10	05926679	10=00
43.	Essar Gujarat Limited	12-04-1993	10	05926680	10=00
44.	Essar Gujarat Limited	12-04-1993	10	05926681	10=00
45.	Essar Gujarat Limited	12-04-1993	10	05926682	10=00
46.	Essar Gujarat Limited	20-04-1994	10	07257523	10=00
47.	Essar Gujarat Limited	20-04-1994	10	07257524	10=00
48.	Essar Gujarat Limited	20-04-1994	5	07257525	10=00

MUTUAL FUNDS

Sl. No.	Name of Company	Date	No. of Magnums	Certificate No.	Face Value of Magnums (in rupees)
1.	SBI Mutual Fund SBI Capital Markets Limited (Magnum Multiplier Schedule 1990)	01-01-1991	100	MF7-0050479	1,000=00
2.	SBI Mutual Fund SBI Funds Management Ltd., (Magnum Multiplier Schedule 1990)	01-04-1994	20	1544716	200=00

DEBENTURES

Sl. No.	Name of Company	Date of Allotment	No. of Debentures	Certificate/ Allotment No.	Face Value of the Debentures (in rupees)
1.	Nahar Exports Limited	03-12-1994 / 31-01-1995	50	16604	170=00
2.	Nahar Exports Limited	03-12-1994 / 31-01-1995	50	16605	170=00
3.	Gujarat Ambuja Proteins Limited	10-05-1990 / 31-07-1990	10	037142	75=00
4.	Essar Gujarat Limited	28-11-1989/ 13-12-1989	25	402719	180=00
5.	Essar Gujarat Limited	18-01-1993	30	403875	300=00

Given under my hand and seal of the Court of this 05th day of June 2023.

Advocate for Petitioners :
MUNI GOVINDA RAJU, Advocate
No.311-A (6/78), 3rd Floor, Mittal Tower, M.G. Road, Bengaluru-560 001.

BY ORDER OF THE COURT, Deputy Registrar, City Civil Court, Mayo Hall Unit, Bengaluru.

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Registered Office: 27, BKC C27, G Block, Bandra Complex, Bandra (E), Mumbai-400051
Branch Office: Kotak Mahindra Bank Ltd., Kotak House, 22, M.G.Road, Bangalore-560001.

APPENDIX-IV-A [REFER PROVISO TO RULE 8(6)]

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE FOR SALE IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

E-Auction Cum Sale Notice for sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 6(2) &8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.
Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described Immovable Properties/ Property mortgaged/ charged to the Secured Creditor, the **Symbolic/ Physical Possession** of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **Kotak Mahindra Bank Limited, (Secured Creditor/ Kotak Mahindra Bank Limited)** will be Sold on **"AS IS WHERE IS", "AS IS WHAT IS"** and **"WHATEVER THERE"** is on **30-06-2023** for recovery of Bank dues of **Rs.2,76,64,953.86 (Rupees: Two Crore Seventy Six Lakhs Sixty Four Thousand and Nine Hundred and Fifty Three Paisa Eighty Six Only)** due and payable to the Secured Creditor in addition to Interest, Costs and charges at contractual rate to the Secured Creditor from **1) M/s. Annapoorna Trading,** # 10/2, Mysore Road, Rudrappa Garden, Kasturba Road, Bangalore-560026. **2) Mr. SripadUdupa,** # 10/2, Mysore Road, Rudrappa Garden, Kasturba Road, Bangalore-560026. **3) Mrs. Rukmani,** # 10/2, Mysore Road, Rudrappa Garden, Kasturba Road, Bangalore-560026.
Short description of Immovable Properties/ Property with known encumbrances and certain terms of the sale:-

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
Loan Account No.	Name of the Borrower/ Co-Borrower(s)/ Guarantor(s)	Demand Notice Date and Amount	Reserve Price (RP)	EMD (10% of RP) and Last Date	Inspection Date & Time	Date of Auction & Time	Total Out Standing	Known Encumbrance, If Any,
Loan Account No. 134042013519, 134044010243, CRN.NO (66499960)	1) Sripada Udupa M (Borrower) & 2) Annapoorna Trading (Co-Borrower), 3) Mrs. Rukmani	**Notice Date: 13-11-2017 1) Rs.72,40,784.54** (Rupees Seventy Two Lakhs Forty Thousand Seven Hundred Paisa Fifty Four Only) **as on 17-08-2022** **Notice Date: 13-07-2017 2) Rs.88,81,611.72** (Rupees Eighty Eight Lakhs Eighty One Thousand Six Hundred Eleven Paisa Seventy Two Only) **as on 17-08-2022**	**Property No.1: Rs.29,44,800** (Rupees Twenty Nine Lakhs Forty Four Thousand and Eight Hundred Only) **Property No.2: Rs.64,35,000** (Rupees Sixty Four Lakhs Thirty Five Thousand Only)	**Property No.1: Rs.2,94,480/-** (Rupees Two Lakh Ninety Four Thousand Four Hundred Eighty Only) **Property No.2: Rs.6,43,500/-** (Rupees Six Lakh Forty Three Thousand Five Hundred Only) **Last Date: 29-06-2023**	On 20.06.2023 From 10:00 A.M. to 04:00 P.M.	On 30.06.2023 At 03.00 P.M. to 04:00 P.M.	Rs. 2,76,64,953.86 (Rupees: Two Crore Seventy Six Lakhs Sixty Four Thousand and Nine Hundred and Fifty Three Paisa Eighty Six Only) **as on 17-08-2022**	Nil

DETAILS OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES / PROPERTY:
Description of the Property-I: All that piece and parcel of the Residential Property bearing No.06, Kahata No.89, assessment No.5/1B, situated at Shivanapura Village, Dasanapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, measuring North to South 53+51/2 feet and East to West 30 ft, in all admeauring 1560 Sq.ft, and **Bounded on: East by:** Private Property, **West by:** Road, **North by:** Site No.5, **South by:** Site No.7.
Description of the Property-II: All that piece and parcel of the Office Space bearing Unit Nos.B-5 & B-6, Basement floor, having New PID No.73-74, in the complex known as "SNS Arcade" Complex, Old Airport Road, Konesna Agrahara, Bengaluru-17.

The Auction will be conducted online through the Bank's approved Service provider **M/s. C1 India Private Limited,** at their web Portal **www.bankeauctions.com.**
The Aucthorised Officer shall have absolute discretion to cancel the e-auction at any point of time, without assigning any reason.
For detailed terms and conditions of E-Auction sale tender document containing online e-auction Bid Form, Declaration etc, Please refer to the link provided in **www.bankeauctions.com** & **https://auctions.kotak.com/properties/auction-notices/** or **Mr. Sesha Srinivasan M, Sridhar B** Or by person **Mr. Karun B, Mobile: (+919916855444) (+919738413007) (+919686812683).**

Date: 14.06.2023, Place: Bangalore **Sd/- Authorized Officer, For Kotak Mahindra Bank Ltd.**

EDITORIAL

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PROACTIVE STEPS HAVE COOLED INFLATION BUT CONCERNS REMAIN

Monetary policy intervention and macroeconomic factors seem to work as retail inflation cooled to a 25-month low in May. The good news from the National Statistical Office is the consumer price index-based inflation rate eased to 4.25% in May, as against 4.70% the previous month. Inflation levels have, therefore, stayed below the upper tolerance limit of 6% for the third consecutive month this year. The scenario seemed brighter than it is as the comparison is with a base of one year ago, May 2022, when retail inflation was over 7%. However, the easing of food prices to 2.91%, driven by cereals, vegetables, meat and fish prices, also had a salutary impact.

However, a closer look at the data showed little room for complacency. While the current inflation rate has eased compared to the year-ago figures, the month-on-month prices continue to inch up, with the CPI rising 0.51% for the second month. The food price index month-on-month was also up 0.7% compared to 0.6% in April this year. Meanwhile, though food prices have eased, inflationary pressure could be seen in household goods, personal care and health products, which showed inflation rates of over 6%—a signal that consumer goods companies were passing on input costs to consumers.

It must be remembered that though India has done well compared to advanced countries like the Eurozone and the UK, where retail inflation is logging over 6%, our inflation rate is much higher than the rate prevailing among the BRICS nations—China logged only 0.2%, Brazil 3.9% and Russia 3.2%. There is also some nervousness about the possible impact of the delayed monsoon and the El Nino effect that has made rain cycles unpredictable. Though a bumper 112 million-tonne wheat harvest is expected, any disruption of sowing and harvesting operations will likely seriously impact food inflation. In that respect, the government, for the first time in 15 years, has clamped limits on traders' holding of wheat stocks and large retail chains till March 31, 2024, to ensure prices remain in check. These positive trends have ensured the increase in interest rates has been paused for some time by the Reserve Bank's monetary policy committee. Still, the concerns of the underlying inflationary pressures will also ensure no easing of the rates over the next few bi-monthly cycles till March 31, 2024.

WATER CONTAMINATION: END THE KILLING SPREE

Dying after consuming water, the basic requirement of life—because of contamination—is as shocking as it can get. Over the past few days, at least six people, including three minors, have died in three districts of Karnataka: Koppal, Raichur and Belagavi. Hundreds of others had vomiting, diarrhoea and fever almost immediately after consuming contaminated water, with many needing hospitalisation. This repeats almost every year without lessons being learnt to prevent water contamination. As per a *Lancet* study, 14 lakh people in India died prematurely due to water contamination in 2019.

Despite India's achievements in several fields post-Independence, questions need to be raised over the safety of people threatened by the consumption of as basic a need as water. It is an unforgivable failure. The laboratory reports of water samples taken from Rekalmardi village in Raichur district (where a three-year-old died and hundreds had to be treated) showed the water to be "unfit" for drinking.

Chief Minister Siddaramaiah has ordered probes into these incidents and sought a report in 10 days. But probes, although required to identify specific reasons, must be supplemented with a robust preventive mechanism to ensure water contamination does not continue its killing spree. A probe is also to be conducted in Karnataka on the implementation of the Centre's ambitious Jal Jeevan Mission—aimed at providing tap water to every household in India—as the project in some areas has allegedly been implemented without identifying a sustainable source of water. Water contamination can occur due to a variety of reasons: sewage and wastewater mixing with potable water; chemicals, pesticides and industrial waste leaking into groundwater; dumping of waste in the sea; and neglect of water storage tanks. This requires frequent checks of underground water, the safety of pipes to avoid sewage mixing with drinking water, inspections of ground-level and overhead water tanks, and prevention of chemicals from seeping into groundwater. An efficient cleaning mechanism is needed, which is not impossible to implement before the monsoon replenishes water storage spaces.

Recently, the Chitradurga Zilla Panchayat Chief Executive Officer got 8,000 tanks across the district cleaned in just three days after discovering that they had been unclean with mud slurry, snakes, lizards and frogs inside. The right to clean drinking water is the right to life. Let none play with it.

QUICK TAKE

CORE VS NON-CORE ENGINEERING

IIT Madras director says it's a waste of resources when most IITians prefer non-core—IT, analytics, finance—to core engineering jobs. That should set the IIT leadership thinking. Students—IITians are no exception—look for quick placements, higher pay and career growth. Core jobs are less lucrative in comparison. Many IIT students prefer learning generic skills of non-core employment. So, why are they put off by the engineering domain knowledge they learn in IITs? Today when personal ambitions drive students, a realistic approach is to make core studies more engaging and ensure that 'economy-building jobs' are also competitive and lucrative.

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CIVIL SOCIETY AS AN ARCHITECT OF NEW PEACE

SHIV VISVANATHAN

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SOUMYADIP SINHA

One of the most impressive women I have met in recent times was the late activist Ela Bhatt. She is known as the legendary founder of Seva, but the Ela Behn I knew was much more. In her later years, she spent hours rethinking civil society and violence, attempting to create new ideas of peace.

In fact, she was a theorist of international relations advocating a *grihani* theory of peace. She felt that the housewife should create the theory of international relations around the imagination of the household. Such a theory would combine Gandhi's ideas of Swaraj and Swadeshi. Ela was afraid of the emptiness in international relations. She felt the intellectual cupboard lacked creative concepts which would provide different solutions.

Incidentally, psychologist Ashish Nandy was sceptical about academics who claimed that international relations had a creative theoretical framework. He said, "One must be retarded to think of security as a concept." It might be adequate for the Dovals but not as an intellectual offering to the world.

On another occasion, I remember talking to the Kannada author UR Ananthamurthy. He had a tremendous sense of the gossip of politics. Murthy felt that radicalism and dissent provided predictable answers. Dissent, he believed, had to be inventive and full of conceptual ambushes. In this context, he advocated a civil society of UNESCO to save languages. A UNESCO for diversity run by civil society would challenge the conformity of the nation state. He added that we had turned the UN into a dismal institution and that politics had to be playful.

A few days after that occasion, I was at the Theosophical Society in Chennai, reading about the Russian artist Nikolai Roerich. He spent years in India dreaming of colour and the Himalayas, and suggested the idea of the Green Cross as a sibling to the Red Cross. The Green Cross would rescue cultures threatened by war and violence. Today, such an idea would have rescued lost crafts and dying languages and created a new celebration of culture. I was thinking how rare such ideas are today. The tutorial college nationalism of the G20 group could hardly come up with such an idea. One has to realise that peace has to be more inventive than war.

Today, one feels that civil society must offer a collection of intellectual surprises to the thought systems of the State. It has to embody a more creative system of ethics. It is tragic to see a contemporary civil society standing speechless during the Ukraine war. Imagine a collection of civil society institutions running a Right to Information (RTI) centre, providing news about the war but also about the attempts to create peace. Peace today can hardly be left to the Bidens, Putins and Modis. In this context, one senses the need to resuscitate the imagination which brewed the Pugwash movement. Pugwash was one of the most exemplary acts of conscience in recent times. Virtually dormant today, it needs to be revived to help create the new ideas of peace.

I was recently thinking of a fascinating possibility. While in Guwahati, I met a Naga woman in a café. Pointing at the shawl she was wearing, she suddenly said: "Look at this beautiful shawl, this represents my community, my identity, my sense of colour. This shawl is collective harmony and yet I heard the state wants to patent it." What this housewife proposed next was remarkable. She said that if the shawl ended up getting patented, she would like to "secede" from the economic framework that supports the existence of intellectual property. Patenting knowledge is obscene and a secession from this framework of ideas becomes the new Satyagraha. Civil society has to create a new intellectual commons for knowledge as trusteeship.

It is in this context that I heard another suggestion. Literary critic Ganesh Devy coordinated the People's Linguistic Survey of India (PLSI), a project of hundred volumes, run by civil society. While I was thinking of the prospect of such a worldwide collection of languages, I was even pondering over the idea of every school being made a trustee of a dying language. We need a new set of exemplars to demonstrate the feasibility of new ideas to the State.

Pedagogy becomes a new form of politics in this context. The school and the university must go beyond the textbook to create new possibilities of thought. Schools should offer more playful theories of cultures. Imagine universities offering new theories of peace and serving as ambassadors to hotspots of violence across the world. One needs a new kind of storytelling because peace as a catechism is drying up. Imagine if a collection of civil society groups had set up a truth commission in the Northeast. The recent crises in Manipur would have been reported differently. We need new harbingers of peace. The Kissingers and the Bidens are not going to create peace, for they are merely technocrats of security.

UNESCO has to be a fountain of new ideas, and the indigenous movements in Brazil and the Earth Charter need to be celebrated for redefining the rights of nature and challenging the way western epistemologies have looked at forestry. The forest has to be celebrated with a shamanic eye, not secularly as a monoculture. Brazilian indigenous leader Davi Kopenawa needs to be respected as much as Abdul Ghaffar Khan in India.

India has to advocate a pluralism of peace rather than a monologic sense of security. Consider the recent encounters between China and India. It is restricted to the armies responding to idiot messages of caution. Civil society has to intervene and take a leaf out of Dalai Lama's lessons on peace and propose a new dialogue of peace between the two neighbours. India as a civil society must seek a China beyond the bureaucracy, and maybe discover a new Confucius.

In this sense, translation, storytelling and dialogue with other cultures becomes critical. We have to reinvent China and Pakistan in new ways. It is only culture that can create new experiments around peace. This calls for a different sense of playfulness. Only civil society can bring new ideas of peace, new imaginations for dialogue and new experiments for ethics which people can respond to and follow. This has to be the new experiment of truth for India to pursue.

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DEVELOPING TALENT PORTABILITY TO MAXIMISE MANAGERIAL SUCCESS

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BUILDING BUSINESSES

In my experience of management talent development (distinct from specialist talent vis-à-vis doctors or scientists), portability is a very important feature. What does portability of talent mean? Portability refers to the ability of a successful manager to be moved around the organisation and for that person to depart from his or her zone of comfort to work with different products in different areas and with different teams of people.

To build great talent in an organisation—as Tata Steel, Titan, Infosys and Mahindra have demonstrated—there must be an *organised* process to: first, build talent density; second, develop talent portability; third, clarify talent responsibility; and finally, hold talent accountable.

To build talent density, management's focus must be on the quality and quantity of talent recruited. Talent recruitment must be dense but planned well. The sequential step is to develop such recruited talent through portability. This is the subject in this article.

The dimensions of portability are functional, geographic, domain, and team. Portability should be practiced with judgement, intuition, review and common sense, for otherwise, an organisation will inadvertently disable its recruits through a high-speed centrifuge. Timing, frequency and distance of porting are important determinants. Variety is an important test bed for talent, just like a top tennis player should get experience of playing on grass, clay and synthetic courts. Similarly, a top cricketer should learn to perform on different pitches. It is the same with managers too.

Functional portability does not mean testing a biochemist in finance and accounts. It means offering a stint in, for example, sales to an accountant, or offering a stint in supply chain to an HR resource. It is a matter of judgement about how unconventional or long the jump should be while developing a candidate. I recall that in the 1970s, Ashok Ganguly, a researcher in biochemistry, was given a chance in manufacturing. He must have excelled, as he rapidly moved on to become chairman of Hindustan Unilever. In my early career, when I joined as a computer systems analyst and programmer, I was tried as a sales manager for a few years. It so happened that I liked the change, and that gave me the opportunity to switch my career path.

Geographic portability refers to changing the place of work. If you are a good sales manager in Karnataka, will you make a good sales manager in Punjab? After all, the language of doing business differs, the retail and distributor universe is different, and attitudes to credit and trade differ. Some managers perform the same role in the same place for 15 years and may even boast that they "have 15 years of experience". They have possibly had the same annual experience repeated fifteen times.

AFP

Talent recruitment must be dense but planned well. The sequential step is to develop such recruited talent through portability

Suresh Narayanan was the general sales manager in Nestle India. He was then moved to work in foreign subsidiaries of Nestle. When the Maggi noodles crisis hit Nestle India, Suresh was moved back as chairman of Nestle India. From all accounts, he did a great job of getting Nestle India back on track.

Domain portability is the third vector. It is not essential to switch companies to get domain experience. Multiple domain experiences may be available within a company, but dramatically different domain experiences may be available across companies. I discovered this when I moved from fast moving consumer goods (Unilever) to industrial manufactures (Tata). One corporation may have multiple domains, as Unilever has home care, personal wash, foods, and refreshments. It is a great development experience to work in more than one domain. For example, the business model and ways are different in home care as opposed to foods. During my own career in Unilever, I moved back and forth from home care to foods. I believe domain moves accelerated my learning propensities.

Before being appointed as president of World Bank, Ajay Banga worked in Nestle India, PepsiCo and Mastercard. Debu Bhattacharya, a chemical engineer by training and experience, successfully headed HINDALCO, a metallurgical behemoth, for the Aditya Birla Group.

Team portability: Every manager is strengthened by his team, and he or she strengthens the team. There is an organic relationship between an individual and how that person gets along with a team, principally because of the dynamics of human interaction. A top-class general manager should be flexible enough to work to the best of his or her capability with all sorts of teams.

I have seen leaders who have worked in the same location with the same product line and with the same people for several years. Such leaders are almost specialists because their ability to gel with an alternative team in an alternative location has not been tested. The best among such leaders may well adapt, but I fear that many may not. That is why companies push emerging managers to work with different teams. When I moved from the comfort of working in Hindustan Unilever to the discomfort of a different and international team while heading Unilever Arabia, I learnt a lot. If one reviews the career of top business leaders, one invariably notices evidence of that person having worked their way up while working with many teams—for example, Indra Nooyi at PepsiCo, Natarajan Chandrasekaran at Tata, Sanjiv Mehta at Hindustan Unilever, to name a few.

Talent density and talent portability are two sides of the same coin, just as planting and harvesting are two sides of the same coin in agriculture.

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BCCI's functioning

Apropos of *BCCI must buckle up to get India back on track* (June 13). For this to happen, the BCCI should first stop functioning in T20 style. There should be a long-term plan to further develop cricket in India. It is high time we had different captains for different formats. A thorough overhaul is the need of the hour.
C G Kuriakose, Kothamangalam

Test cricket

Swaroop Swaminathan's write-up *Muddle in the Middle* (June 13) is correct in pointing out the decline in the averages of the Indian middle order batters since January 2019. The BCCI was focusing on cash-rich IPL to fill its coffers rather than preparing players for the WTC final. It's time Test cricket is revived to its past glory.
S Sankaranarayanan, Chennai

Humanity's goodness

I read all the articles of Renuka Narayanan and they are very nice but *How the sea made an old man change his ways* (June 12) is the best, throwing light on the goodness of humanity.
Mohan Kumar K P, email

CoWIN breach

It is appalling to know about the breach in the CoWIN platform. Many people give their Aadhar number, PAN, passport etc., trusting that their data will be protected by the government, but incidents like this subvert people's trust. Who will be held accountable for this? The government must accept its shortcomings and come up with a solution. India can proclaim its success in e-Governance and promote itself as Digital India only when these incidents are averted in the near future.
M Rishidev, Dindigul

Sedition debate

Apropos of *'Retaining Sedition law can serve only government', says Former Law Commission member* (June 13). Kirti Singh's opinion is not suited to the current Indian political scenario. Sedition should be retained because politicians are not mature enough to patiently allow a democratically elected government to function. Freedom of speech is not an end in itself.
Asokakumar, Thrikkunnapuzha

Nation's debt

The editorial *Despite higher borrowing, India far away from debt crisis* (June 13) gives an impartial analysis of India's debt using relevant stats. The Centre's fiscal management has been appreciated by noted economists, some of whom are in the anti-Modi camp. The government has refrained from introducing populist schemes, mindful of the economic disasters brought about.
Hemanth Bhide, Mangaluru

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TWEETS OF THE DAY

Atishi @AtishiAAP
Twitter is a great place to interact, only if it bends in front of the BJP's attempts to silence dissent. #FarmerProtests

Baijayant Jay Panda @PandaJay
As PM @narendramodi handed out 70K appointment letters at the Rozgar Mela today, the momentum of youth empowerment continues

Jairam Ramesh @Jairam_Ramesh
Let us be absolutely clear. The Rozgar Mela does not mean NEW jobs. What it is doing instead is making the personalisation of governance complete

BJP's 18 RS MPs likely to contest '24 elections

Nirmala Sitharaman may contest from Madurai, Jaishankar from New Delhi, Piyush Goyal from Chandni Chowk or Pune

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR @New Delhi

Nirmala Sitharaman

Piyush Goyal

S Jaishankar

THE BJP is learnt to have asked at least 18 Rajya Sabha MPs, including 10 Union ministers and some MLAs, to start working to contest the Lok Sabha polls due in 2024.

Sources said that Rajya Sabha MPs and ministers in the Narendra Modi cabinet have been asked to work on five Lok Sabha constituencies and select three seats they want to fight on the party ticket.

On Tuesday, the names of some Cabinet ministers and some MPs continued doing the rounds in the media and political circles.

It is believed that the party had wider deliberations recently where it decided to field some Union ministers who are Rajya Sabha MPs for the Lok Sabha polls. Their selection was based on their performances and the ability to sway the voters in the 2024 elections.

Though despite many attempts, none of the leaders whose names are doing the rounds could respond to this newspaper, sources in the BJP confirmed that the party has asked them, albeit verbally, at a recent meeting, to get ready to contest the next upcoming Lok Sabha elections.

If sources are to be believed, prominent names of Union ministers doing the rounds include Union finance minister Nirmal Sitharaman, ministers Piyush Goyal, Bhupendra Yadav, Dharamendra Pradhan, Mansukh Mandaviya, Hardeep Puri, S Jaishankar, Purushottam Rupala and others. All of them are completing the second terms in the Rajya Sabha.

The buzz is that Jaishankar may contest the Lok Sabha election from the New Delhi seat while Education Minister Dharamendra Pradhan is likely to contest from Odisha, either from Sambalpur or Dhenkanal seats.

Rumours have it that Nirmala Sitharaman is likely to contest the Lok Sabha election in 2024 from Madurai and Hardeep Puri, who is also completing his second Rajya Sabha term next year, may jump into the fray from Amritsar or any other Sikh-dominated Lok Sabha seat.

The name of the BJP chief JP Nadda is also doing the rounds. He may contest the Lok Sabha election from Mandi seat while Piyush Goyal, another Union minister and close confidant of Prime Minister Modi, is likely to contest either from Chandani Chowk or Pune Lok Sabha seat.

Union health minister Mansukh Mandaviya is also learnt to have been asked to choose an LS seat from Gujarat.

Rajya Sabha MPs whose names are doing the rounds include Dr K Laxman (national president of BJP OBC Morcha), and Sushil Kumar Modi (former deputy CM of Bihar). Dr K Laxman is likely to contest from Chevella LS seat in Telangana while Sushil Kumar Modi is supposed to contest from Bhagalpur LS seat.

AP Abdullakutty, ex-MP, could be asked to contest from Lakshdweep while newly inducted Jaiveer Shergill name is floating as a probable candidate from Anandpur Sahib Ludhiana and Sunil Jakhar from Gurdaspur. The name of former MP from Odisha Baijayant Jay Panda is also being discussed.

BJP National spokesperson Sambit Patra's name is also in the air as a likely candidate from Puri in Odisha and DK Aruna, co-in charge of BJP Karnataka from Mehabubnagar.

Many party MLAs such as Raja Singh from Goshamahal in Telangana, Vanathi Srinivasan from Coimbatore MLA (also national president of BJP Mahila Morcha) and others are also being discussed.

Union Home Minister Amit Shah chairs a meeting to review preparedness to meet the challenges of Cyclone Biparjoy, in New Delhi on Tuesday. | PTI

Gujarat braces for 'Biparjoy', 20K people evacuated

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THE Gujarat government has evacuated more than 20,000 people from low-lying areas as cyclone Biparjoy is expected to cross the Saurashtra and Kutch beaches around Jakhau Port on June 15 as a very severe cyclonic storm with maximum sustained winds of 125-135 kmph gusting to 150 kmph.

The Indian Meteorological Department (IMD) has warned that the cyclone will create havoc in the coastal areas of Gujarat. Kutch, Devbhoomi Dwarka and Jamnagar districts are expected to be hit the hardest.

Trains were halted in cyclone-affected areas. According to Sumit Thakur, CPRO, Western Railways, "No passenger train is operating at present in the Saurashtra-Kutch region. 69 trains have been cancelled and 55 have been either short-terminated or short-originated."

Four flights were cancelled on Tuesday at Bhavnagar Airport owing to severe weather.

Union Home Minister Amit Shah chaired a review meeting on the preparedness to face challenges posed by the impending cyclone. Gujarat CM Bhupendra Patel and MPs from eight likely affected districts in the state participated in this.

FORTIFYING DISASTER MANAGEMENT

The Centre has announced three major schemes worth ₹8,000 crore to boost disaster response:

- ₹5,000 cr project to expand and modernise fire services across the states
- ₹2,500 cr project to reduce the risk of urban flooding in the seven most populous metros
- ₹825 cr National Landslide Risk Mitigation Project for Landslide Mitigation in 17 states and UTs

The state government evacuated those residing within 5 kilometres of the Gujarat shore. If necessary, those within 10 kilometres of the coast may be relocated over the next two days. "We have shifted 20,580 people from Gujarat's coastal districts and moved them to relief camps," said C C Patel, director of relief for the state government.

The Indian Coast Guard has evacuated 50 people from Oil Rig 'Key Singapore'.

The re-curving cyclone has changed its path five times. The IMD expects a change in its path in another two days. IMD cannot predict the precise landfall. As per the current assessment, it would be near Jakhau port in Gujarat, between Mandvi (Gujarat) and Karachi (Pakistan).

PM slams Oppn parties, says they are focused on 'rate cards', 'land for jobs'

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PRIME Minister Narendra Modi on Tuesday cautioned the youth against political parties that allegedly adopted a system of 'cash for jobs' and 'land for jobs' in their previous tenures.

The Prime Minister was addressing virtually the new recruits who received the appointment letters at the Rozgar-Mela organised at 43 places.

The Prime Minister lashed out at "dynastic politics" and nepotism, saying the two gave rise to corruption in recruitment to government jobs earlier.

Dynastic politics and nepotism in the recruitment process led to allegations of 'cash for jobs' and 'land for jobs,' which came into the system of some Opposition parties, he said, adding, "The youth must beware of those parties that plundered their opportunities in government jobs."

The Prime Minister's remarks came at a time when the general election is due next year. In an apparent reference to the Lalu Prasad-led RJD in Bihar, the PM said such a party acquired land in exchange for jobs in the railways. The scam is being investigated by the Central Bureau of Investigation.

"On the one side, there is dynastic politics, and on the other, there are parties that indulge in corruption. We are working to safeguard the future of the youth", the PM said.

Obliquely referring to a Trinamool Congress leader's involvement in a scam, Modi said a "rate card" was prepared and used for every job posting.

"Those red cards shattered your dreams whereas we are engaged in helping you realize your dreams," he told the new recruits. He said the Rozgar mela has become a new identity of the NDA and the BJP-led government. "The time is very important for those who are joining government jobs. The country's all-out efforts are focused on making India as a developed nation in the next 25 years," the Prime Minister said.

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>
> Narendra Modi, Prime Minister

He also attacked those parties, which he said, were trying to divide the people in the name of language. He said his government was trying to make various Indian languages as a strong medium of employment. "Exams being conducted in one's mother tongue are benefiting the youth," he said.

"India is now known for its political stability. This means a lot globally. The Indian government is known for its decisiveness. The government is identified with its economic and progressive social reforms and the world is eager to partner with India," said the Prime Minister.

BODYLINE

Cede turf to youngsters in summer break, SC tells senior advocates

SHRUTI KAKKAR @New Delhi

THE Supreme Court on Tuesday pushed top notch lawyers-Abhishek Singhvi, Siddharth Luthra, Siddharth Dave and Anjana Prakash to cede turf during summer break with a view to provide opportunity to young lawyers to argue before the highest court.

Refusing to hear arguments of the four senior counsels, a vacation bench of Justices Vikram Nath and Ahsanuddin Amanullah said, "We won't hear a senior counsel."

When senior advocate AM Singhvi mentioned a matter related to Zydus Wellness Ltd for urgent hearing, the bench said, "Mr Singhvi, you are mentioning before a vacation bench. We won't hear a senior counsel. Please ask your advocate on record to mention."

The second incident happened shortly after when Senior Advocate Anjana Prakash attempted to mention a matter before the same bench. Asking the senior counsel to give opportunity to senior counsels to enhance their skills, Justice Nath said, "What are you doing here in vacation? We won't hear you. We will hear the counsel next to you."

Apart from the bench encouraging junior counsels to mention the matters, the court also adopted the same approach while hearing matters. While senior advocate Siddharth Dave was arguing a bail matter, the bench said, "We cannot hear senior counsels."

Junior gets a chance

Interestingly, the firm stand by the Supreme Court vacation bench of only allowing instructing counsels to argue resulted in Suneetha Narredy, daughter of deceased YS Vivekananda Reddy, arguing the plea challenging the anticipatory bail granted to MP YS Avinash Reddy by Telangana High Court herself.

Interestingly, the court's firm stand of only allowing instructing counsels to argue resulted in Suneetha Narredy, daughter of deceased YS Vivekananda Reddy, arguing the plea challenging the anticipatory bail granted to MP YS Avinash Reddy by Telangana HC herself. Refusing to allow senior advocate Siddharth Luthra to argue the matter, the bench said, "You will put us in trouble for discriminating. You cannot argue, you may only assist."

This is not the first time that top court's vacation bench had taken this view. Earlier in May, a vacation bench led by Justice JK Maheshwari had refused to grant senior advocate Mukul Rohatgi the liberty to mention a case. "We will record what you say. But as per the vacation norms, juniors are to be sent in listed mentioning," the court had said.

NSAs meet ahead of Modi's US visit next week

YESHI SELI @New Delhi

AHEAD of Prime Minister Narendra Modi's upcoming state visit to the US next week, US National Security Advisor Jake Sullivan, who is in Delhi on an official visit, met Prime Minister Narendra Modi and National Security Advisor Ajit Doval on Tuesday.

"Glad to receive Jake Sullivan. We reviewed out progress under the India-US Initiative on Critical and Emerging Technologies (iCET) and other issues of bilateral cooperation. I look forward to meeting President Joe Biden during my upcoming visit to the US," said PM Modi.

Sullivan is on an official visit at the invitation of Ajit Doval and is accompanied by a delegation of senior US government officials.

"The India-US initiative on iCET is going to emerge as one of the very important pillars in India-US bilateral strategic partnership. iCET is not a government-to-government arrangement alone, but a collaborative initiative of industry, academia, research bodies and think tanks, all making an endeavour to see India and US in a higher orbit," said Doval.

National Security Advisor Ajit Doval and his US counterpart Jake Sullivan at a meeting in New Delhi on Tuesday. | PTI

The two NSAs have engaged regularly in extensive discussions on a broad bilateral, regional and global agenda. The current visit, which comes in the run-up to PM Modi's visit to the US, will give them the opportunity to continue their high-level dialogue, which will include a review of the robust and multi-faceted cooperation between the two countries as well as a survey of the India-US global strategic partnership.

"The US and India are poised to lead in clean energy transformation, shore up and diversify global semi-conductor supply chains and supply chains in other critical goods and lead the revolution in AI, advanced computing, biotech and quantum," said Sullivan.

Following the launch of the India-US Initiative on iCET by PM Modi and President Biden on the sidelines of the QUAD Summit in Tokyo on May 24, 2022, the two NSAs have also driven a concerted effort between the two countries to engage on the identified areas of collaboration, including Artificial Intelligence, quantum computing, semiconductors, telecommunications, defence and space.

Meanwhile, the two NSAs had restricted discussions on regional and global issues of mutual interest. They also attended the second Track 1.5 dialogue on iCET organised by the Confederation of Indian Industry. The first edition of this dialogue had been held by the US Chamber of Commerce in Washington, D.C. on January 30, 2023. The NSAs met the participants at the dialogue, which included leading representatives of academia and industry from both the countries.

Sullivan is also expected to meet External Affairs Minister, Dr S Jaishankar.

Ahead of yoga day, Centre asks babus to de-stress & take 'Y-break' at offices

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR @New Delhi

NOW, Central officials and employees will be allowed to take a 'Y-Break' (Y for yoga) at the office chairs in their offices to de-stress themselves in between working hours. Ahead of International Yoga Day on June 21, the Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions has passed an order to all Central ministries and departments to take the 'Y-Break' whenever they feel the need to loosen up themselves during duty.

In its order dated June 12, the ministry has directed to ensure proper implementation and promotion of the first-of-its-kind 'Y-Break at office chairs' protocol at workplaces.

The Y-Break at workplaces was introduced by the Ministry of AYUSH. "The feedback of the protocol has been very encouraging. The Morarji Desai National Institute of Yoga, Ministry of AYUSH has added new features for the officials, who owing to their busy schedule, cannot go out and practice yoga," the order stated.

The government through it order has stated clearly that the officials can now benefit themselves while sitting in their office chair by practicing a short duration yoga protocol namely "Y-Break@workplace yoga" at chair to refresh, de-stress and refocus.

A senior official of Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions, preferring anonymity, said that short duration yoga at workplaces consist of various easy-to-do postures like stretching body at chair, walking inside room, arms-stretching and others which make the practitioner feel de-stressed instantly. "It includes easy yoga 'asanas' (postures), 'pranayama' (breathing techniques) and 'dhyana' (meditation) and walking for 100 steps," he said.

The order has also shared resources and internet links elaborating on short duration yoga practices and protocols, which can be incorporated by officers and employees at their desks.

Ministries and departments have also been asked work with attached offices and subordinate under their control in this regard.

NAXAL-ARREST

A Naxal allegedly involved in attacks on police has been arrested in Chhattisgarh's Sukma district. Sodi Ganga (35) was arrested on Monday by a joint team of cops and 50th battalion of the CRPF from Virabhatti village.

6 DRUG SMUGGLERS HELD IN HARYANA'S NUH

INDIA	Max	Min		Max	Min
Ahmedabad	36	29	Mumbai	33	29
Bhopal	40	28	Panaji	32	29
Jaipur	39	30	Patna	43	32
Amritsar	38	25	Lucknow	43	31
Chennai	37	30	Port Blair	32	28
Kolkata	41	30	Imphal	29	21
Srinagar	32	22	Chandigarh	40	26

Gunfight continues for second straight day in Manipur

PRASANTA MAZUMDAR @Guwahati

FOR the second straight day on Tuesday, an exchange of gunshots was reported from the border of Kuki-majority Kangpokpi district in the hills and Meitei-majority Imphal East district in the Imphal Valley. Sources said two groups of unidentified gunmen were engaged in a fierce gunfight at Khamenlok, a foothill area. A similar gun battle at the same place on Monday had left some people injured.

When reports last came in, the gunfight was continuing. Casualties, if any, were not known immediately.

Chief minister N Biren Singh once appealed to people to maintain peace.

"Let's give peace a chance and keep your faith and confidence in the state government and the Centre. People are suffering," Singh said on Monday.

He had also said that the state and central governments were doing their best to tackle the situation and bring normalcy. He assured that the government would protect the lives of people from militant attacks.

Singh announced that the government would build prefabricated homes for those displaced by the ethnic violence.

On June 11, government spokesperson and minister Sapam Ranjan said altogether 50,648 affected people were lodged in 349 relief camps set up in the Imphal Valley and some hill districts.

Meanwhile, Assam Chief Minister Himanta Biswa Sarma is likely to visit Manipur for the second time in four days on Wednesday and meet leaders from the Kuki community. He had met the CM, ministers, BJP leaders and representatives of some Meitei organisations the last time.

As Manipur was limping back to normalcy, a civilian was killed in an incident of gunfire on Monday. The incidents are taking place in foothill areas.

Mahanta gets relief from HC in '98 case of 'secret killings'

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Guwahati

THE Gauhati High Court has upheld the judgement passed by a single-judge bench of the same court in 2018 that gave a clean chit to former Chief Minister Prafulla Kumar Mahanta in the infamous "secret killings" case.

Former journalist Ajit Kumar Bhuyan, who is now a Rajya Sabha member, and another individual Ananta Kalita had filed an application challenging the 2018 judgement.

The court, however, said the charges made against the Asom Gana Parishad (AGP) stalwart were part of a conspiracy by political parties and others to tarnish his image. Mahanta, hailed the judgement.

The secret killings of the family members of ULFA militants took place from 1998 to 2001 during Mahanta's second term as the CM. In 2005, the then CM Tarun Gogoi's government had set up the KN Saikia Commission to probe the killings. In its report, the commission had indicted Mahanta after finding evidence of a nexus between the police and surrendered ULFA militants, allegedly used as executioners.

Bhopal inferno doused after 17 hrs, probe ordered

35 fire tenders used to contain fire at Satpura Bhawan in MP capital

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Bhoppal

A massive blaze, which erupted at the six-storied state government building in Bhopal on Monday afternoon gutting major portion of property on the top four floors, was doused after 17 hours on Tuesday morning.

According to Bhopal Municipal Corporation (BMC) fire officer Rameshwar Neel, more than 35 fire tenders from Bhopal and adjoining Raisen district were pressed into service at Satpura Bhawan throughout Monday-Tuesday night.

"The fire, which erupted prima facie due to a possible electric short circuit in an air conditioner on the third floor at 4pm on Monday, was controlled by midnight. But it was completely doused by 9am on Tuesday. The third and the fourth floor of the building bore the worst impact of the blaze, with nearly the entire property, including files and furniture being gutted," Neel added.

Neel added that had there been a proper passage for the fire tenders inside the six-decade-old building premises (located close to the state secretariat), the fire could've been doused by Monday evening.

Firemen douse the fire in Satpura Bhawan in Bhopal on Monday | PTI

CM Shivraj Singh Chouhan, who briefed PM Narendra Modi, Home Minister Amit Shah and Defence Minister Rajnath Singh on Monday evening, had sought Indian Air Force's help in dousing the fire. Columns of the Indian Army and CISF were pressed into action.

There was no human casualty or injury in the blaze as thousands of employees were evacuated safely. The CM has already formed a four-member panel headed by additional chief secretary (ACS-Home) Rajesh Rajoura to probe the blaze, particularly its cause.

"The probe panel, which has started its probe from Tuesday, has been asked to submit its report within three days. While holiday was declared on Tuesday for employees working in offices located in the fire-hit building, alternative arrangements for shifting the operations of the concerned offices elsewhere will be finalised by Tuesday evening," state home minister Narottam Mishra said on Tuesday.

CHANDIGARH DIARY

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Khattar impressed by ChatGPT software

Haryana Chief Minister Manohar Lal Khattar was seen updating himself with the latest cyber technology at an event held on the topic recently. Khattar was quite impressed by the ChatGPT, a chat box based on artificial intelligence. An IAS officer showed how it could draft letters he would want to send to the Prime Minister in order to get grants for the state. The CM said he was surprised how it could bring together multiple aspects in one go, which otherwise they would have to collectively think of. If the AI can do this for them, then there will be no need for babus, the CM commended in a lighter vein.

Punjab Governor blows hot and cold

Punjab Governor Banwarilal Purohit seems to be in a bittersweet relationship with Chief Minister Bhagwant Mann. The governor on Monday rued that Mann doesn't reply to his letters. "The SC had in March mentioned that the CM of the every state has the duty to communicate with the Governor, reply to letters, and submit every document or action taken report asked for. But Mann has not replied to 10 of my letters till now," he said. In contrast, while touring the state's border districts last week, Purohit had lauded the efforts of the AAP government and Central agencies for tackling the cross-border drug smuggling.

Pratibha writes to son for funds to repair road

Himachal Pradesh Congress president and Mandi MP Pratibha Singh and her son Vikramaditya Singh, who is also the state's PWD minister, have shown that they know how to segregate work from personal life. Despite living under the same roof, Pratibha has shot a letter to Vikramaditya requesting him to release `38 crore to develop the Nerchowk to Kalkhar road in Mandi district. This road, which is a like a lifeline for the people of Mandi Sadar, Balh and Sarkaghat assembly constituencies, has been in a poor condition.

Deploy Central forces for WB local polls: HC

PRONAB MONDAL @Kolkata

THE Calcutta High Court on Tuesday directed the state election commission to deploy Central forces in sensitive districts for the upcoming panchayat elections.

A division bench of Chief Justice T S Shivagnanam and Justice Hiranmay Bhattacharya said, "The state election commission shall requisition Central forces for all districts that have been declared sensitive. On requisition, th Centre shall deploy forces."

The state poll panel has identified seven districts, including East Midnapore, Murshidabad, South 24 Paraganas and North 24 Parganas, as sensitive.

The development came following petitions by state Congress president Adhir Ranjan Chowdhury and BJP leader Suvendu Adhikari.

On Tuesday, the fourth day of filing nominations, bombs were hurled indiscriminately in front of the office of the block development officer in Bhangar, South 24 Parganas.

TRUCK YATRA IN US

Congress leader Rahul Gandhi interacts with an Indian-American driver in his truck from Washington DC to New York. | PTI

G20 delegates visit Sarnath on last day

NAMITA BAJPAI @Lucknow

AFTER the successful culmination of the ongoing G-20 Development Ministers meeting in Varanasi, the delegates, accompanied by External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar, visited the spiritual Buddhist site of Sarnath on Tuesday.

The foreign delegates saw the ancient monument, Dhamek Stupa, and museum among others during their visit.

The Uttar Pradesh government had also designated 115 guides who were accompanied the foreign delegates.

During the Sarnath tour, the foreign delegates performed 'parikrama' of the 43.6 m high and 28 m wide Dhamek Stupa. A cultural programme was also organised later, after which all the guests left for Delhi.

Earlier, the G20 Development Ministers' Conference in Varanasi adopted an ambitious seven-year action plan presented by India to accelerate progress on the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) by the G20 countries. Besides, another document was accepted in the meeting with the aim of increasing cooperation and partnership regarding sustainable lifestyles for meeting climate change goals.

The outcome of the document adopted will be presented for consideration by G-20 leaders at Leaders' Summit to be held in New Delhi on September 9 and 10 in 2023.

Setback to Oppn unity ahead of key meet as HAM minister quits Nitish govt

RAMASHANKAR @Patna

SANTOSH Kumar Suman, the son of former Bihar chief minister and Hindustani Awam Morcha (HAM) patron Jitan Ram Manjhi, resigned on Tuesday from the state cabinet, accusing CM Nitish Kumar of trying to destroy his party's identity by pressuring the party leadership to merge it with JD-U.

Suman told newspersons he wanted to protect his party's identity, adding that JD-U's pressure tactic was on for a long time.

On media queries that if there was any possibility of a compromise with the JD-U, Suman said there was none as he quit his ministerial position after a serious thought to it.

"My party can remain a part of the grand alliance if two of its major allies — the RJD and JD-U — wished so. I could also be in the alliance as an MLA," said Santosh.

When asked about HAM leaders' meeting with the state governor recently, he said there was nothing wrong with it. There was a similar hue and cry when his father met Union Home Minister Amit Shah, he said, adding his father wanted to convey to Shah to honour the Mountain Man Dashrath Manjhi with Bharat Ratna.

When asked about HAM joining the NDA, Suman avoided a reply and rejected the speculation that the BJP had offered his father the post of governor and that he would be given the Lok Sabha ticket from Gaya.

Meanwhile, Nitish Kumar accepted Suman's resignation. He is the third minister to resign his post since the formation of the grand alliance government under the leadership of Nitish last August. Earlier, Kartikeya Kumar and Sudhakar Singh had quit their posts.

Suman's resignation has brightened the chances of a cabinet expansion. JD-U MLA Ratnesh Sada is expected to join the cabinet.

No compromise with JD(U): Suman

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U'khand town on edge over communal charges

NARENDRA SETHI @Dehradun

AMID a controversy over an attempt to abduct a minor in Purola, Uttarkashi, the Purola Pradhan Sangathan has announced a 'mahapanchayat' on June 15. In response to the controversy over the announcement of the 'mahapanchayat', All India Majlis-e-Ittehadul Muslimeen (AIMIM) president Asaduddin Owaisi reacted sharply and demanded the state government to immediately ban the 'mahapanchayat'.

The BJP hit back, saying Owaisi's advocacy of 'love jihad' and 'land jihad' was unacceptable in Devbhoomi. The party strongly objected to Owaisi's statement on the exodus of a particular community.

"Owaisi is neither an acceptable leader of the Muslim community nor a supporter, he does 'vote bank politics' everywhere by spreading hatred," party's state media in-charge Manveer Singh Chauhan told this newspaper. Efforts to change the demography in the state will not be allowed to succeed in any way.

"His venomous vocabulary cannot spoil the peaceful atmosphere of Devbhoomi," added Chauhan. Tension between the two communities in the state over the issue of 'love jihad' has been steadily rising following a tweet by AIMIM national president Asaduddin Owaisi. Strongly reacting to Purola's announcement, the Muslim community has also called for a mahapanchayat in Dehradun on June 18.

Leaders of Hindu organizations protest before Barkot tehsil in Uttarkashi| EXPRESS

Uttarkashi Superintendent of Police Arpan Yaduvanshi told this newspaper, "Section 144 has been imposed in the district. No person violating the law can be exempted. We have tried to find a solution through talks with representatives of various organisations and the aim is to maintain peace," he said.

Speaking to TNIE, Swami Darshan Bharti, founder of Devbhoomi Raksha Abhiyan, which is organising the mahapanchayat, said, "We stand by our earlier resolve and have appealed to the people of Uttarakhand not to rent out their houses and shops to people from the Muslim community."

Uttarkashi BJP district president Satyendra Rana said: "Devbhoomi has a culture of hospitality tradition and such heinous acts will not be tolerated here at any cost. The way the campaign of 'Love Jihad' is going on under one agenda, the citizens and the party here will completely destroy it".

Zahid Malik, district president of the BJP's minority cell, who has left Purola town, has alleged that "during a protest in Purola on May 27, locals used abusive language against women of a particular community".

This has been denied by the people of a 'particular community' living in Purola itself. In a memorandum to SDM Purola on Monday, Bale Khan, Mohammad Ashraf and Javed, belonging to the Muslim community of Purola, said Zahid Malik's allegations, circulated through a video message on social media, were "completely false, alleging that women from their community were mistreated during the protest."

Additional Director General of Police (Law and Order) V Murugesan, in a virtual meeting, directed all superintendents of police to keep a close watch on law and order in their respective districts. "For many decades we people of different communities have been living as a family with mutual brotherhood and complete harmony in Uttarakhand, this is the first time, such an unfortunate atmosphere has been seen," Abdul Wahab, a resident of ISBT Azad Nagar, said.

Mercury up in Uttarakhand: Over 170 forest fire incidents reported in a week

NARENDRA SETHI @Dehradun

WITH temperature soaring in the last few days, incidents of forest fire in Uttarakhand have increased. Over 171 cases of forest fire have been reported in the last six days.

While 34 fire incidents have been reported in Garhwal, 41 are in Kumaon and three in protected wildlife areas in the last 24 hours.

Forest fire has damaged 98 hectares of forest area. So far, 647 forest fire incidents have been reported since November 1, 2022. A total of 769 hectares of forest area has been damaged.

As many as 78 incidents of forest fire were reported in the last 24 hours, the highest number of incidents recorded in a single day in this forest area.

Uttarakhand Forest Department's Chief Conservator of Forest (Fire) Nishant Verma told this newspaper, "Awareness campaigns are being conducted in rural areas to prevent forest fires, Divisional Forest officers has been instructed to maintain vigilance in the area and make villagers aware that in case of fire, inform the department at their level and the department as an immediate measure".

Expressing concern over the increasing incidents of forest fires in the state, Rakesh Kumar Maikhuri, head of the Department of Environment of Garhwal University, said, "These days forests are seen burning everywhere on the way to Pauri, Almora and Nainital et. While the increasing incidents of forest fires are harming nature, drying up of water sources is also causing water crisis."

He advocated immediate and drastic steps to prevent forest fire. Maikhuri further said, "Uttarakhand has an abundance of pine forests and their area is constantly increasing. In summer, pine leaves, locally known as 'Pirul', have been the main cause of forest fire. According to an estimate, hundreds of hectares of forest area are burnt every year due to 'Pirul'.

RISING HEAT IN THE HILLS

Forest department is holding awareness campaigns in villages

LAST SIX DAYS: 171 CASES

LAST 24 HOURS: 78 incidents; 34 in Garhwal; 41 in Kumaon; 3 protected wildlife areas

Since Nov 1, 2022: 647 incidents

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AXIS BANK

Plot No. 41, Seshadri Road, Anand Rao Circle, Bangalore-560009

POSSESSION NOTICE APPENDIX-IV (RULE 8 (1))

WHEREAS: The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of the **AXIS BANK LTD,** Under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act , 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued, a demand notice, dated **28.02.2023** calling upon the **1) Mrs. Sowmya Rani R** D/O Raj Gopal, Villa # 05 Chaitanya Samarpan, Kanamangal Bangalore 560067. **Also At: Mrs. Sowmya Rani R** D/O Raj Gopal, # Doddahullur, Hosakote Taluk, Dasarahalli, Bangalore Rural 562114. **Also At: Mrs. Sowmya Rani R** D/O Raj Gopal, Proprietor, Hotel Nandi Grand, Halasahalli Village, Kolar Road, Hugabala Gramapanchayat, Bangalore Rural 562114 **(Borrower/Mortgagor). 2) Mr. D Manjunatha** S/O Devendraiah, Villa # 05 Chaitanya Samarpan, Kanamangal Bangalore 560067, **Also At: Mr. D Manjunatha** S/O Devendraiah, # Doddahullur, Hosakote Taluk, Dasarahalli, Bangalore Rural 562114 **(Co-Applicant),** to repay the amount **Rs.4,34,38,908 /-** (Rupees Four Crore Thirty Four Lakhs Thirty Eight Thousand Nine Hundred Eight Only) mentioned in the notice towards the loan account no's **PHR051405289884** being the amount due as on **28.02.2023** within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under section 13(4) of the said Act, read with Rule 6 & 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this **09.06.2023.**

The borrowers in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **AXIS BANK LTD,** for an amount of **Rs.4,34,38,908 /-** (Rupees Four Crore Thirty Four Lakhs Thirty Eight Thousand Nine Hundred Eight Only) being the amount due as on **28.02.2023** and interest thereon.

The borrower's attention is invited to the provisions of Sub Section (8) of Section 13 of the SARFAESI Act, 2002 in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

DESCRIPTION OF MORTGAGED PROPERTY

All that Piece and Parcel Of the Property Bearing Villa no M 72 Aspen Type Chaithanya Smaran, E Khata no 150200401700120206, Sy no 143/1, 144/1, 144/2, 144/3, 144/4, 144/5, 144/6, 144/7, 145/1, 145/2P1,146/1, 146/2, 146/3, 147/1, 147/2, 150/1, 150/2, 150/3, Kannamangala village Sy no 24/12 and 24/13 Seegehalli village Bidarahalli Hobli Bangalore and total measuring 4715 sq ft and buildings thereon and Bounded as follows: East By – Road in Chaitanya Smaran, West By – Plot Bearing No J-58 in Chaithanya Smaran, North By – Portion of Plot Bearing No. J-58 and portion of plot no M-73 in Chaitanya Smaran, South By – Portion of Plot Bearing No J-59 and portion of plot no M-71 in Chaitanya Smaran.

For further clarification please contact Mr. Raghunath : 919886960484

Date : 12.06.2023 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place : Bangalore **Axis Bank Ltd.**

UJVN LTD.

H.O.: 'UJJWAL', Maharani Bagh, G.M.S. Road, Dehradun-248006
Telephones : 0135-2763808 & Fax : 0135- 2763508
CIN No.U40101UR2001SGC025866, Website.: www.ujvnl.com

Letter No. 542 **E- Tender Date Extension Notice No-01** Dated 12.06.2023

Due to unavoidable reasons the dates of e-tender no 01/UJVNL/DGM(CD-II)/ Lakhwar /2023-24 for Engagement of Project Management Consultant for Lakhwar MPP (300 MW) on River Yamuna, Uttarakhand are hereby extended as follows: -

Last Date for submission of bid document on website : 07.07.2023 up to 16:00 Hrs.

Last Date for submission of documents in Hard copy : 10.07.2023 up to 16:00 Hrs.

For fuller & further details, kindly visit e-procurement portal **http://uktenders.gov.in"**

DGM(CD-II),CD&H

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PUBLIC NOTICE

My clients have entered into an Agreement to purchase the Schedule Property from its owners: Dr.N.Vidyasagar and his son Dr.Gautham Sagar, residing in the Schedule property.

Apart from the said owners, if any other person/s have any manner of right, title, interest or claim or charge or either by way of Agreement or Mortgage or maintenance or any other right or charge or lien in or over the Schedule property, they are hereby called upon to file their objection/s along with the copies of the supporting documents, in writing to the undersigned within 14 days from the date of Publication of this Notice. Objection/s received thereafter will not be binding on my clients.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the residential property bearing Municipal No.58 and 58/1 (old CITB Site No.2 of Block I, Kumarapark West Extension), having PID Nos.27-77-58 and 27-77-58/1, measuring East to West 120 feet and North to South 80 feet in all measuring 9600 Sq.ft., with a house building thereon comprised of ground plus four upper floors, situated at Kumara Part West extension, Railway Parallel Road, Sheshadripuram, Bangalore and bounded on:

East by : Railway line Road
West by : Park Area (CITB)
North by : Bungalow Site No.3, Block No.1
South by : Bungalow Site No.1, Block No.1

Sd/- S.F. Goutam Chand
Advocate
Goutam Associates
No.60, 2nd Floor, Kanakapura Road,
Basavanagudi, Bangalore – 560 004

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL -II FOR (KARNATAKA)
BSNL Building, 4th Floor, Telephone House, Rajbhavan Road, Bangalore – 560 001.

O.A. No.701/2022

M/s. State Bank of India , Stressed Asset Recovery Branch, JC Road, Bengaluru - 560 001 **...Applicant**

Vs

1. Mr. Jagannath
2. Mrs. Uma Jagannath
3. Mr. Aditya ...Defendants

SUMMONS TO DEFENDANT No. 1 to 3 BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION, ISSUED UNDER RULE 23(VIII) OF DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES OF 1993

Defendant No. 1 to 3
1. Mr. Jagannath P
2. Mrs. Uma Jagannath
3. Mr. Aditya

All 1 to 3 are residing at No. 71, 19th Main, 14th Cross, 2nd Phase, J. P. Nagar, Bengaluru - 560 078.

Also at : Flat No. 701A, A Block, L&T South City Apartments, Arekere MICO Layout, 2nd Stage, Bengaluru - 560 076.

Whereas, the above named Applicant has instituted the application U/S 19 of the Recovery of Debts due to Banks and Financial Instituions Act, 1993 against the defendants for recovery of a sum of Rs.**3,49,36,802/-**(Rupees Three Crores Forty Nine Lakhs Thiry Six Thousand Eight Hundred and Two only) as on 19.04.2022 along with court costs and current & future interest and other reliefs from the date of application till date of recovery. You are hereby required to show cause within 30 days of the service of the summons or on **12th day of July 2023 at 10.30 a.m.** as to why the relief prayed for should not be granted.

Take notice that, in case of default the Application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of this Tribunal on, this **the 9th day of June 2023** at Bengaluru.

Sd/- The Registrar
Debts Recovery Tribunal -II
Bengaluru - 560 001.

PUBLIC NOTICE

FOR PURCHASE OF MORTGAGED UNIT A-1304 in Veracious Vani Vilas

WHEREAS Veracious Builders and Developers Private Limited (**"Veracious"**) is the developer of the multistoried apartment complex with all facilities known as 'Veracious Vani Vilas', situated at Survey No. 74/1, measuring 34 Guntas and Survey No. 74/2 measuring 2 acres and 04 Guntas totally admeasuring 02 acres and 38 Guntas situated at Puttenahalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Yelahanka Taluk, Bengalure District and bearing BBMP Khata No. 85/74/1 and 74/2.

WHEREAS the unit A-1304 admeasuring approximately 2,890 sq. ft. (**"Mortgaged Unit"**) is mortgaged in favour of Vistra ITCL (India) Limited ("Vistra") acting as Debenture Trustee for the benefit of Nippon Life India AIF Management Limited and Nippon Life India Asset Management Limited under a Debenture Trust Deed ("DTD") dated 10th March 2016

WHEREAS Vistra is the Debenture Trustee under the DTD and empowered to act on behalf of and in trust for the Debenture Holders and upon their instructions.

WHEREAS Veracious breached and committed default of its obligations under the DTD and the Debenture Holders have become entitled to dispose of the assets under the DTD including the Mortgaged Units.

WHEREAS Veracious is under liquidation by an order dated January 17, 2020, passed by the Hon'ble National Company Law Tribunal, Bengaluru Bench and Mrs. Shirley Mathew has been appointed as the Liquidator to conduct the said process and accordingly, the said Liquidator had issued a Public Notice dated 23rd January, 2020 inviting claims from Stakeholders of Veracious.

WHEREAS the Debenture Holders have elected not to relinquish their security interest in the mortgaged assets including the Schedule Property.

It is brought to the notice of the General Public that our client has negotiated and decided to purchase the above Mortgaged Unit A-1304 in Veracious Vani Vilas from Vistra.

All persons having any claim against or to the above Mortgaged Property or any part thereof by way of inheritance, mortgage, sale, conveyance, MOU, Agreement to Sell, transfer, Lease deed, tenancy, license, lien, charge, trust, maintenance, easement, gift, exchange, possession, adverse possession or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to submit the same in writing along with documentary evidence to the undersigned at their office within 07 days from date of publication hereof, failing which our client shall proceed without any reference to such claim and the same, if any will be considered as waived.

Dated this 26th day of May 2023, at Bangalore.

From:
ELITE LAW FIRM
Advocates & Consultants
No. 9, 1st Floor, Narayanaswamy Building, Lakshmi Theatre Road, Anekal - 562106.

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank
(A Government Of India Undertaking)

Rajajinagar 1st Block Branch
No.08, 2nd Floor, Godrej Show Room,
Dr. Rajkumar Road, Rajajinagar 1st Block,
Bengaluru

POSSESSION NOTICE (Rule-8(1)) (For Immovable Property)

Whereas The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of **Canara Bank, Rajajinagar 1st Block Branch, No.08, 2nd Floor, Godrej Show Room, Dr. Rajkumar Road, Rajajinagar 1st Block, Bengaluru** under Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act 54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a Demand Notice dated **30.11.2022** calling upon the Borrowers **(1) Shri. Gurumurthy Mahaladker** S/o Narayan Rao Mahaladker, Bhimana Kone Road, 1st Cross, Gandhinagara, Sagar-577401, Karnataka to repay the amount mentioned in the notice, being **Rs.30,06,821.71 Paisa** (Rupees Thirty Lakhs Six Thousand Eight Hundred Twenty One and Paisa Seventy One Only) as on **30.11.2022** within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice, together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

The Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers and the public in general, that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him / her under section 13 (4) of the said Act, read with Rules 8 & 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this **12th day of June 2023.**

The borrowers attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

The Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **Canara Bank** for an amount of **Rs.30,06,821.71 Paisa** (Rupees Thirty Lakhs Six Thousand Eight Hundred Twenty One and Paisa Seventy One Only) as on **30.11.2022** together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

Description of the Immovable Property

All that piece and parcel of the Residential Apartment bearing No.107, Type-G (North Facing Main Door) in the Residential Building known as VIVA ESPANA-2 having a Super Built Up Area measuring 1,600 Square Feet constructed on the Property bearing Khatha No.188. Old Nos.106/49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55 and 56, formed out of Survey No.58/3 situated at N.S. Infocity, Arehalli-Guddadahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Doddaballapura Taluk, Bangalore Rural District, together with 530 Sq. ft. of undivided share, right, title and interest in the aforesaid property and alongwith one covered car parking space and duly approved by BIAAPA and bounded East by : Setback area and Flat type-F(106), West by : Boundary and Layout Road, North by : Flat type-H (108) of same building, South by : Boundary and Layout Road.

Date : 12.06.2023 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place : Bengaluru **Canara Bank**

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PUBLIC AUCTION SALE NOTICE

SALE OF IMMOVABLE ASSET CHARGED TO THE BANK UNDER THE SECURITIZATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT 2002. (SARFAESI ACT)

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and to the Borrower/s and Guarantor/s in particular that the under mentioned properties are mortgaged to **The National Co-Operative Bank Ltd.,** and taken possession under the provisions of Section 13(4) and Rule 8 (6) of Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, will be sold by Public Auction as mentioned below for recovery of under mentioned dues and further interest, charges and costs etc, as detailed below by adopting any of the methods mentioned in Rule 8(5)of the above rules. The property is being sold on **" AS IS WHERE IS AND AS IS WHAT IS AND WHATEVER THERE IS" AND "NO RECOURSE BASIS"** and as such the sale is without any kind of warranties and indemnities.

Sl. No.	Name & Address of the Borrower	Description of the Property	Amount of Secured Debt (Further interest & charges from 01/06/2023)	Date & Time of Public Auction	Reserve Price and EMD	Branch Manager's Name & Phone Number
1	**1) Smt.Shashikala B,** Deshihalli Village, Santemarahalli Post, Chamarajnagar District-571115. **2) Sri.Nataraju D N,** Deshihalli Village, Santemarahalli Post, Chamarajnagar District-571115.	**SCHEDULE-A**: All that part and parcel of the property bearing Site No.2984,along with RCC Roofed building comprising of First and Second floors having PID NO74-01-2984,situated at 12th Main, HAL II Stage, Indiranagar, Bangalore-560008presently comes under the jurisdiction of BBMP,Bangalore owned by Smt.Shashikala B Measuring East to West 18.30 mts. North to South 26.53 mts. Totally measuring 485.499 Sq.mt and bounded by: East by : Property No.2985, West by : Property No.2983, North by : Road, South by : Property No.2995. **SCHEDULE-B** : 11.111% Or 580 Sq ft of undivided share in the comprise in the land Schedule-A Property bearing Municipal No.2984/1 PID NO74-01-2984/1,at First Floor front side having a super built up area of 1088.80Sq ft, together with including 20% share of proportionate rights in the common areas such as passages, corridors, staire case passage and sump tanks owned by Smt. Shashikala B. East by : Open Space, West by : Open Space, North by : Open Space, South by : Common Passage.	**Rs.81,85,000/- (Rupees Eighty One Lakhs Eighty Five Thousand Only) as on 31.05.2023**	**30.06.2023 10.00 AM**	**Rs. 1,10,00,000/- (Rupees One Crore Ten Lakhs Only) ---------- Rs.11,00,000/- (Rupees Eleven Lakhs Only)**	**Sri. Prashanth N Hegde, Manager, Agrahara Dasarahalli Branch, No. 9901985936**
		ANNEXURE-2: All that part and parcel of the property bearing Site No.36,BBMP Ward No 130 Formed out of erstwhile Converted Sy No.158/1 of Ullalu Village,Yashwanthapura hobli,Bangalore North Taluk, owned by Smt.Shashikala B Measuring East to West 30 ft. North to South 40 ft. Totally measuring 1200 Sq.Ft and bounded by: East by : Site No.37, West by : Site No.35, North by : Road, South by : Property of Sri B V Prasad.			**Rs. 63,00,000/- (Rupees Sixty Three Lakhs Only) ---------- Rs.6,30,000/- (Rupees Six Lakhs Thirty Thousand Only)**	
2	**A) M/s. Elegant Printing Works, the borrower – represented by its Partners : Sri. Manoj S, Smt. Shantha P R. 1. Sri. Manoj S, 2. Smt. Shantha P R, 3. Sri. Mahesh S, 4. Sri. Madhu S – the guarantors,** All are residing at No. 74, South End Road, Basavanagudi, Bangalore – 560004. **B) Sri. Manoj S – the borrower, 1. Smt. Shantha.P.R, 2. Smt. Shalini – the guarantors,** All are residing at No. 74, South End Road, Basavanagudi, Bangalore – 560004 **(C) Smt. Shantha P R – the borrower, 1. Manoj S, 2. Madhu S – the guarantors,** All are residing at No. 74, South End Road, Basavanagudi, Bangalore-560004.	All that part and parcel of the Property bearing No.74, Old No. 9/6, South End Road, Basavanagudi, Bangalore – 560004 belonging to Late P. Sridhar, represented by his legal heirs Smt. P R Shantha, Sri. Manoj S and Sri. Mahesh S and Sri. Madhu S both represented by their GPA holder Smt. Shantha P R, measuring total land area 1747 sq. ft with built up area of 1432 Sq. ft and bounded by : East by : Sri. Amarnath and Sri. T K Srinvasan's Property, West by : Smt. Bhavani Amma's Property, North by : Sri. Venkata Subbaiah's Building & Conservancy Lane, South by : South End Road	**Rs. 5,40,00,000/- (Rupees Five Crore Forty Lakhs Only) as on 31.05.2023**	**13.07.2023 10.00 AM**	**Rs. 4,00,00,000/- (Rupees Four Crores only) ---------- Rs. 40,00,000/- (Rupees Forty Lakhs only)**	**Smt. Rama S, Assistant General Manager, Gandhi Bazar Branch No. 7349784526**
3	**1) Sri. Anantha Kumar M,** No. 70/1, 2nd Cross, 6th Main, 4th Block, Thyagarajanagar, Bengaluru 560 028. **2) Smt. M. Lakshmi Kanthamma,** No. 70/1, 2nd Cross, 6th Main, 4th Block, Thyagarajanagar, Bengaluru 560 028. **3) Gouthami A,** No. 70/1, 2nd Cross, 6th Main, 4th Block, Thyagarajanagar, Bengaluru 560028. **4) Sri. Munirathnam Naidu,** No. 70/1, 2nd Cross, 6th Main, 4th Block, Thyagarajanagar, Bengaluru 560 028.	All that part and parcel of the Property bearing No.62, Old No. 70/1, PID No.51-38-62, 1st Cross, 4th Block, Thyagarajnagar, Bengaluru. Measuring East to West 30 feet, North to South 30 feet. Total measuring 900 Sq.Feet. and bounded by: East by : Property belonging to R. Lakshmamma, West by : Property belonging to Raghavamma, North by : Property belonging to Smt. Nagamma, South by : Portion of the Same Property belonging to Lakshmikantamma.M.	**Rs. 50,43,000/- (Rupees Fifty Lakhs Forty Three Thousand Only) as on 31.05.2023**	**13.07.2023 11.00 AM**	**Rs. 1,20,00,000/- (Rupees One Crore Twenty Lakhs only) ---------- Rs.12,00,000/- (Rupees Twelve Lakhs only)**	**Smt. Rama S, Assistant General Manager, Gandhi Bazar Branch No. 7349784526**
4	**1) Sri. Ravi Prasad R** S/o Ram Prasad, No.33, 1st Floor, Vilasini, 5th Main, Papaih Garden, Banashankari 3rd Stage, Bengaluru 560 085. **2) Smt. Asha Y** W/o Ravi Prasad R, No.33, 1st Floor, Vilasini, 5th Main, Papaih Garden, Banashankari 3rd Stage, Bengaluru- 560 085.	All that part and parcel of the Property Bearing Site No.8, PID No. 45-21-8, 4th Cross, Valmikinagar, Azad Nagar, Bengaluru. Measuring East to West 30 feet, North to South 30 feet. Total 900 Sq.Feet. East by : Property belonging to Jayamma, West by : Property belonging to Munishamappa, North by : Road, South by : Private Property	**Rs. 49,00,000/- (Rupees Forty Nine Lakhs Only) as on 31.05.2023**	**13.07.2023 12.00 PM**	**Rs. 78,00,000/- (Rupees Seventy Eight Lakhs only) ---------- Rs. 7,80,000/- (Rupees Seven Lakhs Eighty Thousand only)**	**Smt. Rama S, Assistant General Manager, Gandhi Bazar Branch No. 7349784526**
5	**1) M/s. Renjiro Technocrafts,** Represented by its partners Sri. Shubha Kumar G & Sri. Vijay Sagar Shetty, No. 02, Champaka Mansion, National High School Road, VV Puram, Bengaluru 560004. **2) Sri. Shubhakumar G,** No. 32, Renaissance Nruthya, 2nd Floor, 8th Main, 11th Cross, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru 560003. **3) Sri. Vijay Sagar Shetty,** No. 1369, 24th Main, 24 th Cross, BSK 2 nd Stage, Bengaluru 560070.	**Item No (1):** All that part and parcel of the property bearing security of property bearing No 700/27, E Khatha No.150200101500720190, Converted land bearing Sy. No.27, Giddenahalli Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru Urban District. Measuring 38 Guntas, Owned by Sri. Subhakumar G. Bounded on: East by : Land bearing Sy. No 24, West by : Land bearing Sy. No 28, North by : Land belonging to Lakshmamma, South by : Land belonging to Narayanamma. **Item No (2):** All that part and parcel of the property bearing security of property bearing No 701/27, E Khatha No.150200101500720198, Converted land bearing Sy. No.27, Giddenahalli Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru Urban District. Measuring 38 Guntas, Owned by Sri. Subhakumar G. East by : Land bearing Sy. No 24, West by : Land bearing Sy. No 28, North by : Land belonging to Shivashankar, South by : Land bearing Sy. No 23. **Item No (3)**: All that part and parcel of the property bearing security of property bearing No 702/27, E Khatha No.150200101500720191, Converted land bearing Sy. No.27, Giddenahalli Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru Urban District. Measuring 38 Guntas, Owned by Sri. Subhakumar G. East by : Land bearing Sy. No 24, West by : Land belonging to Ramakka, North by : Land belonging to Krishnappa, South by : Land belonging to Lakshmamma. **Item No (4)**: All that part and parcel of the property bearing security of property bearing No 703/27, E Khatha No.150200101500720195, Converted land bearing Sy. No.27, Giddenahalli Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru Urban District. Measuring 38 Guntas, Owned by Sri. Subhakumar G. East by : Land bearing Sy. No 34, West by : Land belonging to Ramakka, North by : Land belonging to Chowdamma, South by : Land belonging to Shivashankar.	**Rs. 19,17,00,000/- (Rupees Nineteen Crores Seventeen Lakhs Only) as on 31.05.2023**	**13.07.2023 2.00 PM**	**Rs. 17,52,00,000/- (Rupees Seventeen Crore Fifty Two Lakhs only) ---------- Rs.1,75,20,000/- (Rupees One Crore Seventy Five Lakhs Twenty Thousand only)**	**Smt. Rama S, Assistant General Manager, Gandhi Bazar Branch No. 7349784526**
6	**1) Jai Shree Krishna Steels Works Pvt. Ltd.,** Rep. by its Directors & CEO, PID No. 50-60-7, Old No. 198, 9th Cross, 2nd Block, Jayanagar, Bengaluru 560011. **2) Sri. Mahesh Askarndas (Director),** PID No. 50-60-7, Old No. 198, 9th Cross, 2nd Block, Jayanagar, Bengaluru 560011. Also having address at: Mohini, No 7, Kothari Scheme, Ramachandra Lane, Malad West, Mumbai 400064. **3) Sri. Kunal Mahesh (Director),** PID No. 50-60-7, Old No. 198, 9th Cross, 2nd Block, Jayanagar, Bengaluru 560011. Also having address at: Mohini, No 7, Kothari Scheme, Ramachandra Lane, Malad West, Mumbai 400064. **4) Sri. Prabhu M M (C.E.O),** PID No. 50-60-7, Old No. 198, 9th Cross, 2nd Block, Jayanagar, Bengaluru 560011.	**SCHEDULE-A**: All that piece and parcel of residentially converted lands in survey No.101/1-A(5 acres 13 guntas), 101/1-B (5 Guntas), 101/2 (8 acres 17 Guntas), 103/1(6 acres), 104 (3 acres 33 guntas) and 105/5 (7 Guntas), Now bearing Muncipal No.4506, Situated in Kothnur Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South taluk, together admeasuring 23 acres and 35 Guntas (Exclude KPTCL area) and butted and bounded as follows: East by : Survey No's 103/2, 102 and private Property, West by : Kothanur Village, portions of Survey no's 104, 101/1-B and 105/5, North by : Lake and Survey No 102, South by : portions of Survey No's 104, 101/1-B, 105/5 and Road. **SCHEDULE-B:** 0.066% undivided right , title and interest in the Schedule A property, admeasuring 684.66 Sq.ft. **SCHEDULE-C**: A 3 (Three) bedroom apartment bearing No.04 on the 16th floor in the block / wing A7 of the residential complex 'Elita Promenade' constructed in the Schedule A Property, with vitrified floor, having a super built up area of 1680 sq.ft (comprising a built up area of 1410.15 sq.ft inclusive of balconies, utility space, floors, ceiling and walls between the apartments and proportionate common area of 269.85 Sq.ft along with one covered car parking space in the lower ground / basement.	**Rs. 24,58,00,000/- (Rupees Twenty Four Crore Fifty Eight Lakhs Only) as on 31.05.2023**	**13.07.2023 3.00 PM**	**Rs. 1,28,00,000/- (Rupees One Crore Twenty Eight Lakhs only) ---------- Rs.12,80,000/- (Rupees Twelve Lakhs Eighty Thousand only)**	**Smt. Rama S, Assistant General Manager, Gandhi Bazar Branch No. 7349784526**
7	**Sri. Nagendra Prasad C,** No. 3, Bindhu Apartments, 4th Block, Rajajinagar, Dr. Rajkumar Road, Bengaluru 560010.	All that part and parcel of the Property Bearing Site No. 79 & 80, Old No. 86/1, Khata No 86/1, Pid No. 54-239-79/80, Hoskerehalli Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru South. Presently 15th Cross, Girinagar 2nd Phase, Bengaluru 560085. Measuring East to West : 40 feet, North to South: (75'+61')/2 feet. Total 2,720 Sq.Feet. East by : Private Property, West by : Road, North by : Private Property, South by : Property No. 78	**Rs. 1,37,00,000/- (Rupees One Crore Thirty Seven Lakhs Only) as on 31.05.2023**	**14.07.2023 10.00 AM**	**Rs.1,36,00,000/- (Rupees One Crore Thirty Six Lakhs only) ---------- Rs.13,60,000/- (Rupees Thirteen Lakhs Sixty Thousand only)**	**Smt. Poornima Assistant Manager, Banashankari 2nd Stage Branch No. 7349784527**
8	**1) Sri. Sagar Manjunath Raj,** No. 3, Sri Lakshmi Nivas, GKM College, Jaraganahalli, Kanakapura Main Road, Bengaluru 560078. **2) Smt. Sudha Sheela Raj,** No. 3, Sri Lakshmi Nivas, GKM College, Jaraganahalli, Kanakapura Main Road, Bengaluru 560078.	All that piece and parcel of residential house Property No.3 and 4, Khatha No.22/2, situated at Jaraganahalli Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, Bengaluru. Measuring East to West 60 feet, North to South 31 feet. Total 1,860 Sq.Feet. East by : Property No. 5, West by : Property No. 2, North by : Remaining Portion of same property, South by : Road	**Rs. 1,70,83,000/- (Rupees One Crore Seventy Lakhs Eighty Three Thousand Only) as on 31.05.2023**	**14.07.2023 11.00 AM**	**Rs.2,03,00,000/- (Rupees Two Crore Three Lakhs only) ---------- Rs.20,30,000/- (Rupees Twenty Lakhs Thirty Thousand only)**	**Smt. Manjula M, Deputy Manager, Banashankari 3rd Stage Branch No. 9739745533**
9	**1) Sri. Manoj Kumar** S/o Vijay Nath, Flat No. ET8, 3rd Floor, SVS Anandanilayam, Sy No 93 & 103, Kowdenahalli, K. R. Puram, Bengaluru 560 016. **2) Smt. Archana Kumar** W/o Manoj Kumar, Flat No. ET8, 3rd Floor, SVS Anandanilayam, Sy No 93 & 103, Kowdenahalli, K. R. Puram, Bengaluru 560 016.	All that part and parcel of land dwelling houses and out houses, wells, trees, and drains between built and planted and situated and floors / outhouses here in after to be built, planted together with all rights and easements pertaining there to and hereafter and enjoyed and acquired bearing Flat No. ET8, Sy No. 93 & 103, Khatha No. 1, SVS Ananda Nilayam, Kowdenahalli, K.R.Puram, Bengaluru 560016 with super built up area 1485 Sq. Ft., and Undivided share of Land measuring 560 Sq. ft. East by : 40 Feet Road & Partly remaining land in Sy. No. 93, West by : Remaining Land in Sy. No. 93 & Sy. No. 103, North by : Land bearing Sy. No. 103, South by : Land Sy. No. 93 & Sy. No. 103.	**Rs. 44,49,000/- (Rupees Forty Four Lakhs Forty Nine Thousand Only) as on 31.05.2023**	**14.07.2023 12.00 PM**	**Rs. 60,00,000/- (Rupees Sixty Lakhs only) ---------- Rs.6,00,000/- (Rupees Six Lakhs only)**	**Sri. Sridhar K S, Assistant Manager, Electronic City Branch No. 9901985934**
10	**1) M/S.Indo Asian Academy Education Trust,** Rep.By its Chairman-Managing Director, No.10,4th D Main, HRBR Layout, 2nd Block, Kalyan Nagar, Bengaluru-560 043. **(a) Sri.Ekambaram Naidu T- Chairman-Managing Trustee,** M/S.Indo Asian Academy Education Trust, No.10,4th D Main, HRBR Layout, 2nd Block, Kalyan Nagar, Bengaluru-560 043. **(b) Smt.Umarani T- Trustee,** M/S.Indo Asian Academy Education Trust, No.10,4th D Main, HRBR Layout, 2nd Block, Kalyan Nagar, Bengaluru-560 043. **(2) Sri.Ekambaram Naidu.T,** PH-A, 4th Floor, Kasturi Palace, 1st Main, Kasturi Nagar, Bengaluru-560 043. **(3) Sri.Ekambaram Naidu.T,** PH-A, 4th Floor, Kasturi Palace, 1st Main, Kasturi Nagar, Bengaluru-560 043.	**SCHEDULE A** : All that piece and parcel of land dwelling houses and outhouses, wells, trees and drains thereon built and planted and situated and floors/outhouses here in after to be built, planted together with all rights and easements pertaining thereto and thereafter and enjoyed acquired Property bearing Site.No.4M-506 Situated at 2nd Block, HRBR Layout, Hennur Road, Banaswadi Road Extension, Bengaluru, formed by BDA. Property Belongs to Sri.Ekambaram Naidu T measuring an extent of East to West 25.90mtrs, and North to South 15.00 mtrs. Totally measuring 388.50 Sq.Mtrs (4182 Sq.feet) and Bounded by: East by : Site No. 4M-505, West by : 4th Main Road, North by: Site No.4M-508, South by: Site No.4M-504	**Rs. 47,44,95,000/- (Rupees Forty Seven Crore Forty Four Lakh Ninety Five Thousand Only) as on 31.05.2023**	**14.07.2023 2.00 PM**	**Rs. 6,00,00,000/- (Rupees Six Crore only) ---------- Rs.60,00,000/- (Rupees Sixty Lakhs only)**	**Sri. Prasad G, Deputy Manager, Banaswadi Branch, No. 8861711522**
		SCHEDULE – B : All that piece and parcel of the Site No.4M-508, Situated at 2nd Block, HRBR Layout, Hennur Road, Banaswadi Road Extension, Bengaluru, formed by BDA, Presently within the limits of BBMP, Property Belongs to M/s.Indo Asian Academy Education Trust represented by its chairman and managing trustee, Sri.Ekambaram Naidu T Measuring East to West 25.90 mtrs and North to South 15 Mtrs, Totally measuring 388.50 sq. mtrs or 4182.00 Sqft along with the Bounded by: East by : Site No.4M-507, West by : 4th Main Road, North by : Site No.4M-510, South by : Site No.4M-506.			**Rs. 6,00,00,000/- (Rupees Six Crore only) ---------- Rs.60,00,000/- (Rupees Sixty Lakhs only)**	**Sri. Prasad G, Deputy Manager, Banaswadi Branch, No. 8861711522**

TERMS AND CONDTIIONS OF AUCTION SALE:-

(1) For participating in auction, intending bidders have to deposit a refundable EMD of 10% of Reserve Price by RTGS/NEFT/Funds Transfer to the credit of **A/C No "913020046646999- A/c Name: The National Co-Operative Bank Ltd, through IFSC Code "UTIB0000558" BANK: Axis Bank, Branch :Chamarajpet** Or by Demand Draft /Pay Order in favour of **" The National Co-Operative Bank Ltd,"** payable at Bangalore so as to reach us on or before Auction Date. The intending bidders have to submit copy of ID and address proof and PAN Card to the Authorized Officer **The National Co-Operative Bank Ltd.,** Gandhi Bazaar Main Road, Bangalore-560004. The EMD will not carry any interest.

(2) The property **"SHALL NOT BE SOLD"** below the Reserve Price.

(3) The successful bidder should deposit 25% of the bid amount (including EMD) immediately on declaring him as successful bidder, and the balance 75% of bid amount within 15 days after the sale date by RTGS/NEFT/Funds Transfer to the credit of **A/C No "913020046646999- A/c Name: The National Co-Operative Bank Ltd, through IFSC Code "UTIB0000558" BANK: Axis Bank, Branch :Chamarajpete** Or by Demand Draft /Pay Order in favour of " The National Co-Operative Bank Ltd.," payable at Bangalore.

(4) Bid Increment Value **Rs. 1,00,000/- (Rupees One Lakh only).**

(5) In case of default in payment at any stage by the successful bidder as mentioned above, the sale shall be treated as cancelled and the amount already paid will be forfeited.

(6) The property is put for sale on the condition **"AS IS WHERE IS" and "AS IS WHAT IS "and" NO RECOURSE "** basis. The intending bidder shall satisfy himself about the title, Ownership, Statutory approvals, encumbrances, claims etc., in regard to the property. The Bidder has to bear the Registration Charges, Stamp Duty, Cess, Sales Tax (if applicable) and any other statutory dues or other dues like Municipal Tax, Electricity Charges, Land use conversion charges, Society Charges, Maintenance Charges, Akrama/Sakrama and all other incidental costs, charges including all taxes and rates and any outgoings relating to the property.

(7) General Power of Attorney holders, agents and any other persons are not allowed to participate in the auction on behalf of the bidders.

(8) The intending bidder may contact respective branch Managers for ascertaining the details and also inspection of the property.

(9) This is also notice to the (Borrower/Guarantor/Mortgagor) of the aforesaid loan dues about holding of auction sale on above mentioned date if the dues are not repaid in full.

(10) The Bank reserves the right to cancel / postpone the bid without assigning any reasons.

(11) The Authorized Officer is presumed to have information about the mortgaged property. However, Authorized Officer is not responsible for any wrong information which has not come to his notice.

The terms and conditions of sale shall be strictly as per the provisions of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Date: 14.06.2023 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place: Bengaluru **The National Co-Operative Bank Ltd**

15 killed after a minibus slammed into a pickup truck parked on the side of a road in Egypt on Tuesday

GLOBAL WEATHER

LR: Light Rain • HR: Heavy Rain • SW: Snow • TDS: Thundershower • LC: Light Cloud • SNY: Sunny

Beijing	31	18	TDS	Los Angeles	20	14	LC
Colombo	31	26	LC	Melbourne	15	11	HR
Dhaka	34	28	TDS	Moscow	20	8	HR
Dubai	39	30	SNY	New York	23	18	LC
Houston	36	25	SNY	Singapore	32	28	TDS
Istanbul	24	18	LC	Toronto	20	13	LC
London	28	16	LC	Washington	25	15	LC

Trump arrives at court over felony charges

MIAMI

DONALD Trump surrendered Tuesday to face federal charges of mishandling US government secrets—the latest and most serious in a string of probes threatening his bid to win back the White House.

Security was tight around the federal courthouse in downtown Miami where Trump was expected to plead not guilty in the first federal criminal case filed against a former US president.

"One of the saddest days in the history of our country. We are a nation in decline," Trump posted on his Truth Social platform as he was driven to court, repeating his regular accusation of a "witchhunt!"

Dozens of Trump supporters gathered nearby as the 3.00 pm (1900 GMT) court appearance approached, some wearing "Make America Great Again" baseball caps and one with a sign reading "Indict Jack Smith"—the special prosecutor who brought the charges.

Trump opponent holds a sign that reads "Finally Trump Arrested Again" outside the Wilkie D. Ferguson Jr. United States Federal Courthouse on tuesday | AFP

A judicial source said Trump will be processed like other defendants.

He will have his fingerprints taken digitally and a photo of him will be uploaded into the court records but not released to the public.

Police, including some on horseback and bicycles, were out in force braced for protests and the possibility of unrest, but the atmosphere was festive with a local radio station blasting Cuban salsa music.

Trump, who made the 25-minute trip from his Doral golf course to the courthouse in a motorcade of at least six black SUVs, earlier lashed out at Smith on Truth Social, calling the prosecutor a "thug" and a "lunatic."

Trump is facing 37 counts of unlawfully retaining classified documents after leaving the White House in 2021, punishable by up to 10 years in prison, conspiracy to obstruct justice, making false statements and other offenses.

The rebellious Republican said he would plead not guilty but make no statement from the courthouse after the hearing.

"I'll just say not guilty," Trump told conservative radio host Howie Carr late Monday.

"I did nothing wrong. Presidential Records Act, it's not even a criminal event. There is no criminality here. It's ridiculous." *AFP*

Russia strikes Zelenskyy's hometown, eleven killed

Putin claims Ukraine suffered massive loss, admits ammo shortage

Children look at the scene of the latest Russian rocket attack that damaged a multi-storey apartment building in Kryvyi Rih, Ukraine on Tuesday | AP

KYIV

UKRAINIAN authorities said at least 11 people were killed and 34 wounded overnight in a Russian missile strike on Kryvyi Rih, President Volodymyr Zelenskyy's hometown.

Russian forces have unleashed overnight missile strikes repeatedly against targets across Ukraine in recent weeks, and Tuesday's toll was among the highest from a single attack.

Images from the latest missile attack relayed by Zelenskyy on his Telegram channel showed firefighters battling a blaze as flames poked through broken windows in a damaged apartment building. Charred and damaged vehicles littered the ground. "More terrorist missiles," he wrote. "Russian killers continue their war against residential buildings, ordinary cities and people."

Without providing details of the locations or timing, the Russian Defence Ministry said Russian forces used long-range air-launched cruise missiles to hit Ukrainian military reserves and depots holding Western weapons and ammunition.

The governor of the Dnipropetrovsk region, Serhiy Lysak, wrote on Telegram that the bodies of seven persons were recovered from a private company's warehouse, and "another four destinies were cut short" at the apartment building. He said search operations had been called off.

Meanwhile, Russian president Vladimir Putin suggested on Tuesday that he could order Russian troops to try to carve out more land in Ukraine for a buffer zone, while asserting that Ukrainian forces had suffered "catastrophic" losses in a new counteroffensive.

Putin said that a Ukrainian counteroffensive has been unsuccessful and suffered losses that he called "catastrophic." He asserted that Ukraine lost 160 tanks and over 360 other armored vehicles, "which, according to my calculations, is about 25%, maybe 30% of the equipment delivered from abroad." "We lost 54 tanks and some of them can be repaired and brought back to operation," Putin said.

Putin also said that Moscow's forces in Ukraine were suffering from shortages in military equipment. "During the course of the special military operation, it became clear that many things were lacking," he said. "High-precision ammunition, communications equipment, drones etc... We have them, but unfortunately, there is not enough."

Also, the US on Tuesday announced a new $325 military aid package for Ukraine. *AP*

Belarus will not hesitate to use Russian N-arms: Prez

MOSCOW

BELARUSIAN President Alexander Lukashenko said on Tuesday that he wouldn't hesitate to order the use of Russian tactical nuclear weapons that are set to be deployed to Belarus if his country faces an aggression.

Putin has emphasised that Russia will retain control of them, but Lukashenko's statement contradicted that.

"God forbid I have to make a decision to use those weapons today, but there would be no hesitation if we face an aggression," Lukashenko said in comments released by his office.

Russian officials had no immediate comment on Lukashenko's remarks.

Lukashenko emphasised that it was he who had asked Putin to deploy Russian nuclear weapons to Belarus. He argued that the move was necessary to deter a potential aggression.

"I believe no one would be willing to fight a country that has those weapons," Lukashenko said. "Those are weapons of deterrence."

Putin said during Friday's meeting with Lukashenko that work on building facilities for the nuclear weapons will be completed by July 7-8, and they will be moved to Belarusian territory quickly after that.

Lukashenko said on Tuesday that "everything is ready" for the Russian nuclear weapons' deployment, adding that "it could take just a few days for us to get what we had asked for and even a bit more."

Lukashenko said that Belarus doesn't need Russia's strategic nuclear weapons to be deployed to its territory. "Am I going to fight America? No," he said. *AP*

China slams new US sanctions on firms over training military pilots

TAIPEI

CHINA on Tuesday criticised new sanctions imposed by the United States on companies believed to be involved in training Chinese military pilots and aiding weapons development.

Foreign Ministry spokesperson Wang Wenbin urged Washington to "stop abusing export control measures" to hobble Chinese companies.

"The United States has repeatedly overstretched the concept of national security, abused state power, unwarrantedly suppressed Chinese companies, and wantonly disrupted the international economic order and trade rules," Wang said. "It has reached a level of unscrupulous hysteria."

China "demands that the US immediately correct its wrong practice of politicising, instrumentalising, and weaponising economic, trade, and sci-tech issues with a pretext of human rights or military-related issues," Wang said.

On Monday, the US placed 43 "entities" on an export control list over national security and foreign policy concerns. The list includes both Chinese and foreign companies. Among those listed were Frontier Services Group Ltd., a security and aviation company previously run by Blackwater founder Erik Prince, and Test Flying Academy of South Africa, a flight school under scrutiny by British authorities for hiring retired British military pilots to train Chinese fliers.

The companies are barred from receiving US exports for activities deemed contrary to US national interest. Other companies were sanctioned for aiding development of China's hypersonic weapons and the modernisation of its army, the Commerce Department aid. Two companies—Beijing Ryan Wende Science and Technology Co. Ltd. and Xinjiang Kehua Hechang Biological Science and Technology Co. Ltd.—were added for allegedly supplying items that helped China monitor Uyghurs and other ethnic minorities. *AP*

EXPRESS READ

Austria says citizen held in Afghanistan

Vienna: An Austrian man has been arrested in Afghanistan, Austria's foreign ministry said, with a media report identifying him as an 84-year-old far-right extremist suspected of espionage. The ministry did not identify the Austrian man and stopped short of providing details of the case "for reasons of data protection." "We confirm the arrest of an Austrian citizen, who travelled to Afghanistan in May, contrary to the travel warning that has been in place for decades," it said. Austrian daily *Der Standard* identified the man as Herbert F., a known far-right extremist who has been portraying himself as an "Afghanistan expert".

Russia keen to expand ties with Pak: Lavrov

Islamabad: Russia is keen to expand and deepen bilateral ties with Pakistan, Russian Foreign Minister Sergei Lavrov said. He made these remarks on the 75th anniversary of the establishment of relations between Moscow and Islamabad, *Express Tribune* reported. He said Russia views Pakistan as a "key international partner in joint efforts to combat common security challenges and threats." He said Russia was willing to work together with Pakistan for strengthening mutually beneficial relations. He concluded the video by raising the slogan 'Pakistan-Roosi dosti zindabad.'

Amnesty critisises war crimes in Gaza conflict

GAZA CITY

AMNESTY International said on Tuesday that Israeli strikes on Gaza last month could amount to a "war crime" and said Palestinian militant groups should be investigated on the same charge for their rocket fire.

Israel and Palestinian armed groups in Gaza, including Islamic Jihad, traded heavy fire in the May 9-13 flare-up that claimed 35 lives, including civilians and combatants.

The London-based human rights group charged that Israeli strikes carried out "without military necessity" amounts to "a form of collective punishment against the civilian population." It also accused Palestinian militant groups of "indiscriminate" rocket fire aimed at Israel that "should also be investigated as war crimes."

Amnesty said the Israeli military operations damaged 2,943 housing units, including 103 homes which were completely destroyed.

"Israel also conducted apparently disproportionate air strikes which killed and injured Palestinian civilians, including children," the statement added.

Israeli forces killed a Palestinian in a West Bank raid while four Israelis were injured in a separate shooting incident, as fresh violence hit the occupied territory on Tuesday, officials said.

The Palestinian health ministry said 19-year-old Faris Abdel Moneim Mohammed Hashash "was shot dead by the Israeli occupation forces during the aggression against Balata camp in Nablus." *AFP*

Students among three dead in UK attacks, 31-yr-old man held

NOTTINGHAM

TWO college students and another person were slain in the streets of Nottingham on Tuesday that culminated with the suspect mowing down three pedestrians with a van, leaving one in critical condition.

A 31-year-old man was arrested on suspicion of murder and police said they believe he acted alone. "This is an horrific and tragic incident which has claimed the lives of three people," Chief Constable Kate Meynell said.

The University of Nottingham said two students were among the dead. Police did not disclose how the three persons were killed but said the first attack occurred around dawn when two people were found dead on a road near student housing. A third body was later found on a different street more than a mile away.

Witnesses described a horrifying scene in the city centre about 90 minutes after the initial attack when the van ran into pedestrians.

Lynn Haggitt was on her way to work when a white van pulled up beside her at 5.30 am. She saw the driver look in his mirror and spot a police car approaching slowly from behind without its lights on. The driver then accelerated and struck a man and woman at a street corner, she said.

"He went straight into them, he didn't even bother to turn," Haggitt said. *AP*

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IN THE COURT OF THE XXII ADDL. CITY CIVIL & SESSIONS JUDGE (CCH-7), BENGALURU CITY
OS NO. 5882/2022

J.C. SAMPATH KUMAR
AGED ABOUT 71 YEARS S/o D. JAMES FLAT G-004, KASTLE KRISHNA APTS. # 15, OLD # 69, 9TH B CROSS ROAD, VINAYAKA LAYOUT, MANORAYANAPALYA, BENGALURU-560 032.
.....PLAINTIFF

-Vs-

1) CHURCH OF SOUTH INDIA
AN AUTONOMOUS INDIAN CHURCH REPRESENTED BY THE SYNODE SECRETARIAT (GOVERNING BODY OF THE CHURCH OF SOUTH INDIA) CSI CENTRE, #5, WHITES ROAD, PO BOX 688, ROYAPETTAH, CHENNAI-600 014
REPRESENTED BY ITS GENERAL SECRETARY
2) A. DHARAMARAJ PRASALAM
MODERATOR, CHURCH OF SOUTH INDIA SYNODE, BISHOP'S HOUSE LMS COMPOUND THIRUVANANTHAPURAM - 695 033
3) THE KARNATAKA CENTRAL DIOCESE
CSI DIOCESAN OFFICE #20, 3RD CROSS, CSI COMPOUND BENGALURU - 560 027
REPRESENTED BY ITS BISHOP
4) DR. PRASANNA KUMAR SAMUEL
BISHOP, KARNATAKA CENTRAL DIOCESE CSI DIOCESAN OFFICE # 20, 3RD CROSS, CSI COMPOUND, BENGALURU - 560 027
5) THE SECRETARY
CSI DIOCESAN OFFICE #20, 3RD CROSS, CSI COMPOUND BENGALURU- 560 027
.....DEFENDANTS

PUBLIC NOTICE UNDER SECTION 1 RULE 8(2) OF THE CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE, 1908 BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION

The Plaintiff is permitted to sue this suit in a representative capacity/interest of the people belonging to Christian religion, seeking the following reliefs:

a) Declare that the proposed amendment as per the circular Dt. 18.08.2022 of the first Defendant to amend the constitution of the Church of South India in terms of Clause 12(A) of Chapter-5 whereby the retirement age of the Bishop is sought to be extended from the age of 67 to the age of 70 as being malafide, not in good faith and consequently null & void;

b) Grant judgement & decree of permanent injunction restraining the Defendants from proceeding to amend Clause 12(A) of Chapter-5 of the constitution of the Church of South India by extending the age of retirement of the Bishop from 67 to 70 years as proposed;

c) In the alternative to Prayer (a) & (b), and in the event the Court is not inclined to grant Prayers (a) & (b), this Hon'ble Court may be pleased to direct that any process of ratification of the proposed amendments to the Constitution of the Church of South India in terms of Clause 12(A) of Chapter-5 whereby the retirement age of the Bishop is sought to be extended from the age of 67 to the age of 70 years be held after the expiry of 6 months from the date of the suit;

d) Grant such other relief/s as this Hon'ble Court may deem fit & proper, in the interest of justice & equity.

As such this notice is given of the institution of the suit to all persons interested in the suit, mainly the members of Christian faith, who are members of the Church of South India, so interested so that any person on whose behalf or for whose benefit the suit is instituted or defended may apply to the Court to be made party to such suit. A decree passed in this suit under this Rule shall be binding on all persons on whose behalf or for whose benefit, the suit is instituted or defended as the case be.

Given by the order of the Court on this the 13th day of June 2023.

By order of the Court,
Sd/- ASSISTANT REGISTRAR.
CITY CIVIL COURT, BANGALORE
G.S. Prasanna Kumar
M/s Linc & Co., Advocates
#9, II Main, Srikantan Layout
Crescent Road, High Grounds
Bengalooru - 560 001

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PUBLIC NOTICE

This is hereby brought to the notice of the general public that my client Smt.Pushpa, W/o. Sri.Ramachandra Raju is the absolute owner of the property bearing 8, 9 and 10, old khata No.101/1, new CMC No.369, 370 and 371, at Hongasandra Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, presently within the limits of Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike, Bommanalli, ward no.178, Bangalore, having acquired by virtue of a registered Deed of Sale, dt.15.03.2007, vide Document No.BAS-1-29497/2006-07. The said original Sale Deed dt. dt.15.03.2007 was misplaced while she was travelling to her residence on dt.20.05.2023 in Hongasandra, B'lore and my client has also lodged a complaint with the jurisdictional police on dt.05.06.2023, vide Report No.0590115/2023, hence if any person is able to trace out the said document, they are requested to handover the same to the custody of the nearest police station or directly to my client Smt.Pushpa, W/o. Sri.Ramachandra, mob.no.9845117314, at No.9/10, Subramanya Nilaya, 10th 'A' main road, pragathinagara, hongasandra, Bengaluru-68, or to myself, hence this public notice.

B.V.VEERA ARAVIND, Advocate
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PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform to the general public Sri.D Shanmugam, Son of Late Doraiswamy Gounder, residing at No.181, Police Road, Ranaringhpet, Bangalore – 560053 (AADHAAR:7816 4736 4744) has approached my client Sree Subramanyeshwara Co-operative Bank Limited, Vijayanagar Branch, 7th Main Road, SBI Staff Colony, Hosahalli Extension, Stage 1, Vijayanagar, Bengaluru 560040 to avail the loan on the security of the schedule property belonging to him;

It is informed by my client that he is not possessing the following documents: a) Sale deed dated 26-02-1968 executed by Sri.H Hanumaiah in favour of Sri.Vaikuntaiah and registered as document No.4182/67-68, registered on 27-02-1968, Book I, Volume 2125, Pages 110 to 114 and registered in the office of the Sub Registrar, Gandhinagar, Bangalore and b) Sale deed dated 06-04-1968 executed by Sri.Vaikuntaiah in favour of Sri.S N Hanumaiah and registered as document No.90/67-68, Book I, Volume 2156, Pages 55 to 58 and registered in the office of the Head Quarter Sub Registrar, Gandhinagar, in this regard complaint dated 12-06-2023 has been lodged with online Police Complaint to Bangalore City Police Unit and obtained acknowledgement dated 12-06-2023 vide lost report No.0598124/2023, with regard to missing of the above two original title deed;

Any person/s, having any claim over the schedule property on the basis of referred missing/lost above two original Sale Deed dated 26-02-1968 and 06-04-1968 may lodge their objections or claims, in writing with all supporting documentary evidence by registered post with regard to such claim with the undersigned within 07 (seven) days hereof, failing which the above Bank will proceed to process the loan application filed by the Sri.D Shanmugam. Any claims lodged thereafter will not be entertained by my client;

Schedule

All that piece and parcel of property bearing No.181 (earlier No.31 later 36, again 36/1 and later 37 and again 43 and later 57) situated at Police Road, Bangalore ward No.139-K R Market, (Old Ward No.30) PID No.30-28-181 and bounded on the :

East by : Property belonging to Sri.Ranganna;
West by : Property belonging to Sri.Baba Saheb;
North by : Police Road;
South by : Property belonging to Sri.Venkataramaiah;

Measuring: East to West :18 feet; North to South : 39 feet; In all ad-measuring 702 sq.ft.,

N S SATYANARAYANA GUPTA, K S NAYAK, N S RACHANA, N C JANARDHAN, Advocates
Rachana Law Associates
"Lakshmideep", I Floor, No:2980, 17th Cross, Banashankari II Stage,
BANGALORE – 560 070 Ph: 9731333880
Dt: 13-06-2023

PUBLIC NOTICE
LOST OF SHARE CERTIFICATE

NOTICE is hereby given that the **Share Certificates No. 15209, 912775** for **1045 Shares**, bearing Distinctive nos. **7648416, 7649365, 5830522288, 58305222382** of **ICICI BANK** in the name of **ASHOK KUMAR MEHTA,** have been reported lost/ stolen and that an application of duplicate certificate in respect thereof has been made to Kfin technologies, Hyderabad- 500032.

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL -II AT BANGALORE
BSNL Building, 4th Floor, Telephone House, Rajbhavan Road, Bangalore - 560001.
O. A. NO. 377/2022

BETWEEN : CANARA BANK, Koramangala Branch, 348, 100ft Road, St.john Medical College Road, 4th Block, Koramangala, Bangalore - 560034. ...APPLICANT

AND: 1) M/S. Shri Balaji Agro Industries A Partnership Firm Represented by its Partners:
a) Sri. Achut K B,
b) Sri. Pradeep V,
2) Sri. Achut K B,
3) Sri. Pradeep V,
4) Smt. Rani V,
5) Smt. Gayathri G,
6) Smt. Nirmala R. ...DEFENDANTS

Summons Issued U/r 23 (viii) Of The DRT (Procedure) Rules 1993 to the Defendants

Whereas, the applicant has instituted an application under section 19 of the recovery of debts due to banks and financial institutions act, 1993 against you for recovery of a sum of **Rs.2,19,21,580/-(Rupees Two Crore Nineteen Lakhs Twenty One Thousand Five Hundred Eighty Only)** together with current and future interest and other reliefs.

You are hereby required to show cause within 30 days from the date of publication of this summons/notice or **on 22-08-2023 at 10.30 AM** in person or by a pleader/ Advocate duly instructed as to why the reliefs prayed for should not be granted. Take notice that in case of default the Application will be heard and determined in your absence

Given under my hand and the seal of this tribunal on this the **25nd day of April 2023.**

By Order Of The Tribunal, Registrar Debts Recovery Tribunal-II Bangalore

To :
1) M/S. SHRI BALAJI AGRO INDUSTRIES A Partnership Firm Represented by its Partners:
a) SRI. ACHUT K B
b) SRI. PRADEEP V, # 205, 2nd floor, 5th cross, BEML 5th stage, RR nagar, Bangalore - 560079 **Defendant No.1**
2. SRI. PRADEEP V, S/o Sri. Venkateswaran R L, No.1844, Khasbagh, 7th Ward, Doddaballapur, Karnataka - 561203. **.....Defendant No.3**
3. SMT. RANI V, W/o Sri.Venkateshwaran R L, No.1844, Khasbagh, 7th Ward, Doddaballapura, Karnataka - 561203. **.....Defendant No.4**
4. SMT. GAYATHRI G, W/o Sri. Govindaraj, 1504, Maruti Kunj, Sohna Road, Bhondsi, Gurgaon - 122102, Haryana. **Defendant No.5**
5. SMT. NIRMALA R, W/o Sri. Raja Chenna Krishnan S, No.204, Orchids Apartment, 4th Main, 4th Cross, Ramanjaneyanagar, Uttarahalli, Bangalore South, Subramanyapura, Bangalore - 560061. **.....Defendant No.6**

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GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA, "e"-PROCUREMENT NOTICE
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CONSTRUCTION ENGINEER, KHORDHA (R&B) CIRCLE, KHORDHA
WORKS DEPARTMENT
Tender call Notice

B-341 E-mail: rbcirclekhurda@gmail.com

Bid Identification No. CCE-Khordha (R&B) Circle-05/2023-24 Memo No - 1069 Dt. 07.06.2023

The Chief Construction Engineer, Khordha (R&B) Circle, Khordha on behalf of Governor of Odisha Inviting percentage rate bid in double cover system in ONLINE MODE from eligible contractors for Electrical work as detailed in the table below:

1.	Nature of Work	:	Electrical Work
2.	No of Work	:	1No
3.	Tender Cost	:	Rs.10000.00 (On-Line)
4.	Class of Contractor	:	MV/HT Class Contractor
5.	Available of Bid document in the Website	:	From 10.00 AM of Dt.19.06.2023 up to 05.00 PM of Dt.28.06.2023 up to 5.00 PM
6.	Date of opening of Bid	:	Dt 29.06.2023 at11.30 AM
7.	The Bidders have to participate in ONLINE bidding only. Further details can be seen from the Website: https://tenderodisha.gov.in . Any Addendum / Corrigendum / Cancellation of tender can also be seen in the said website.		

OIPR-34127/11/0008/2324

Sd/- Chief Construction Engineer
Khordha (R&B) Circle, Khordha

TAMIL NADU URBAN HABITAT DEVELOPMENT BOARD
SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER, NORTH CIRCLE – II

NOTICE INVITING e - TENDER

1) Name of the work: Construction of 1410 tenements using Pre-Fabricated Concrete Technology on Lump-Sum Turnkey Design & Build basis including all services such as Internal and External water supply, sanitary, electrification and development works at i) Periyar Nagar scheme (448 tenements plus 8 DU's for electrical room) (Ground + 5 Storied) in Greater Chennai Corporation Division No. 73, Zone – VI, ii) Navalar Nedunchezhiyan Nagar and Chindadripet scheme (450 tenements) (Ground + 5 Storied) in Greater Chennai Corporation Division No. 62, Zone - V and iii) B.R.N Garden scheme (501 plus three refuge area tenements) (Stilt + 9 Storied) in Greater Chennai Corporation Division No. 59, Zone - V under HFA vertical III (AHP) - PMAY.
TENDER REFERENCE No. TNUHDB/1394/D1/SE(NC-II)/2019
2) Name of the work: Reconstruction of 242 tenements plus one unit reserved for refuge area (Stilt + 9 Storied) adopting type design no. 29 (R1) / 2021 including Internal water supply, sanitary and electrification arrangements with development works at Chetty Thottam scheme in Greater Chennai Corporation Division No. 52, Zone - V under HFA vertical III (AHP) of PMAY.
TENDER REFERENCE No. TNUHDB/294/D1/SE(NC-II)/2022
3) Name of the work: Reconstruction of 240 tenements (Stilt + 6 Storied) adopting type design no. 16A (R1)/ 2020 & 16 B (R1) / 2020 including Internal water supply, sanitary and electrification arrangements with development works at M.S. Nagar Phase I & II schemes in Greater Chennai Corporation Division No. 108, Zone - VIII under HFA vertical III (AHP) of PMAY.
TENDER REFERENCE No. TNUHDB/508/D1/SE(NC-II)/2022

The Superintending Engineer, North Circle - II on behalf of Tamil Nadu Urban Habitat Development Board invites submission of online bids from eligible bidders for the contract package named above. Bids are invited under two cover system to be uploaded in the online web portal **https://tntenders.gov.in.**

Detailed Notice of Invitation of Bids and the Pre-Qualification Criteria and the Bid document for the above package would be available at **https://tntenders.gov.in** starting from **14.06.2023** Deadline of bid submission is upto **12:00 Noon** on 17.07.2023. All required information are provided in the bid document.

Bidders may contact Superintending Engineer, North Circle - II, TNUHDB through Email: **sechennainorthcircle2@gmail.com** for any other information on bidding process.

DIPR/ 3029 /TENDER/2023

Superintending Engineer
North Circle-II

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OFFICE OF THE ENGINEER-IN-CHIEF (CIVIL), ODISHA
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File No- B-IV-H-(H&D)-22/2021 Lr. No.- 24722 Bhubaneswar, the 12th June, 2023

Invitation for Bids

B-350 **Bid Identification No. C.E. (B) – 09 / 2023-24**

1.	The Chief Engineer, Buildings, Odisha, Bhubaneswar, on behalf of Governor of Odisha, invites percentage rate bids in double cover system in ONLINE MODE only, for Construction of Building works as detailed below.		
2.	Nature of work	:	Building work
3.	No. of work	:	1 No.
4.	Bid Cost.	:	₹.10,000/- (each)
5.	Class of Contractor	:	'A'/ Special Class
6.	Availability of Bid Documents in the website	:	From dt.21.06.2023 to 17.00 Hours of dt.05.07.2023.
7.	Date of Opening of Bid	:	Dt.06.07.2023 at 11:30 AM.
8.	The Bidders have to participate in ONLINE bidding only. Further details can be seen from the website :https://tendersodisha.gov.in. Any addendum / corrigendum / cancellation of tender can also be seen in the said website only.		

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Sd/- Chief Engineer, Buildings, Odisha, Bhubaneswar

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Market Watch

MARKET			GOLD		SILVER			FOREX	
418.45 ▲	Sensex	62,792.88	24 carat (10 gm)	₹60,600	₹200 ▼	Per kg	₹74,100	▲ Dollar	82.26
114.65 ▲	Nifty	18,716.15	22 carat (10 gm)	₹55,550	₹2 ▼	Per 10gm	₹741	▼ Euro	88.80

Zee's Chandra, Goenka move SAT

Duo appealed against the Sebi order on ground that no show cause notice was sent to them

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Mumbai

ESSEL GROUP Chairman Subhash Chandra and Zee Entertainment Enterprises Ltd (ZEEL) MD and CEO Punit Goenka on Tuesday moved the Securities Appellate Tribunal (SAT) challenging the interim order of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Sebi) that barred them from holding any key position in the group's listed firms.

The order is likely to delay the planned merger of Zee Entertainment with Sony's India arm, Sony Pictures Networks India.

The market regulatory, in its interim order on Monday, barred Subhash Chandra and Punit Goenka from holding any key managerial position in any of its listed companies or subsidiaries for abusing their positions in the company and siphoning off funds for their own benefit.

Chandra and Goenka have appealed against the market regulator's order on the principle of natural justice stating that no show cause notice was sent to them, said a source. SAT will hear the matter on Thursday.

ZEEL Chairman R Gopalan said the company is reviewing the Sebi order and seeking the appropriate legal counsel before moving forward.

"The Board of Directors of ZEEL has noted the interim exparte order issued by the Securities and Exchange Board of India with respect to Subhash Chandra and Punit Goenka," Gopalan said in a statement. "The Board is currently in the process of reviewing the detailed order, and appropriate legal advice is being sought in order to take the next steps as required," he added.

The planned merger of Zee Entertainment with Sony Pictures Networks India will be impacted by Sebi' order and the merger may be delayed further, say experts.

"Sony would like to get more clarity about the role of promoters and the final outcome on this matter. Punit Goenka was proposed to be the Managing Director of the merged entity but after Sebi's order it is not possible. We may see renewed negotiations between Zee and Sony. With this new development, the merger process will see more delays," an analyst of a brokerage firm told this newspaper.

Impacted by the speculation about prospects of the merger of both companies, the shares of Zee Entertainment plunged as much as 7% in the morning trade but later recovered and closed 0.4% lower at ₹194 apiece on Tuesday.

As per the sources, the merger between Sony Pictures Networks India and Zee Entertainment Enterprises was expected to be completed by the first half of the current fiscal year. Zee and Sony had signed definitive agreements in December 2021 to merge their businesses.

India may see exodus of 6,500 millionaires this year: Report

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Bengaluru

INDIA could see a net exodus of 6,500 high-net-worth individuals (HNWIs) in 2023, says a report by Henley & Partners, a London-based investment migration advisory firm.

The report said prohibitive tax legislation coupled with convoluted, complex rules relating to outbound remittances that are open to misinterpretation and abuse, are but a few issues that have triggered the trend of investment migration from India. It is said Dubai and Singapore remain preferred destinations for wealthy Indian families. About 357,000 HNWIs are residing in the country. The report says India will be the second-biggest loser of millionaires globally after China, which will see net outflow of 13,500 millionaires. With 3,200 HNWIs, the UK will be the third-biggest loser of millionaires.

Though the second-biggest loser globally, India's net exit numbers are predicted to drop to 6,500 in 2023 as against 7,500 in 2022. Andrew Amoils, head of research at New World Wealth, says "these outflows are not concerning as India produces far more new millionaires than it loses to migration."

Henley & Partners received the highest number of investment migration program enquiries on record in the first quarter of 2023 — an increase of 36% as against the previous quarter, and 47% higher than the same period in 2022.

The top two nationalities currently driving demand are Indians and Americans, with Brits and South Africans remaining in the Top 10 as they have done for the last five years.

Dominic Volek, Group Head of Private Clients at Henley & Partners, says historically, many wealthy individuals acquired residence rights or citizenship without moving to those countries. "Recent and persistent turmoil has caused a shift — more investors are considering relocating their families for a range of reasons, from safety and security, to education and healthcare, to climate change resilience and even crypto-friendliness."

"Nine of top 10 countries for forecast net HNWI inflows in 2023 host formal residence by investment programs that encourage foreign direct investment in return for the right to reside, which can also lead to citizenship in some cases."

ASIANOMICS

CHINA

CHINA CUTS KEY SHORT-TERM POLICY RATE

The central bank of China has slashed the key short-term policy rate as it deals with disappointing economic data after reopening from Covid failed to gain momentum. The People's Bank of China on Tuesday reduced its seven-day reverse repurchase rate by 10 basis points from 2% to 1.9%. According to the statement issued by the bank, it will inject 2 billion Chinese yuan ($279.97 million) through its seven-day repos. This is the central bank's first such move since August, signaling that further monetary easing lies ahead.The move comes ahead of the bank's medium-lending facility interest rate decision. The rate decision is expected to be released on Thursday. The bank's loan prime rate is scheduled for release on June 20.

SOUTH KOREA

'TOO EARLY TO BE COMPLACENT ON INFLATION'

Most board members of the Bank of Korea monetary policy board at their latest policy meeting on May 25 said there is no scope for complacency over slowing inflation, showed minutes from the meeting on Tuesday. The BOK held interest rates steady for a third straight meeting last month. It had also downgraded its economic growth forecast for this year. Data showed the country's consumer inflation eased for a fourth straight month in May to a 19-month low of 3.3%. However, the central bank's medium-term inflation target of 2% has not yet reached. The central bank is trying to make between inflation and economic growth.

ASIA

SHARE MARKETS RALLY ON GLOBAL CUES

Asian share markets edged up on Tuesday tracking the rally in Wall Street. The investors will closely watch the consumer price index in the US due to release on Tuesday and producers price index on Wednesday. These data are important for the Federal Reserves' monetary policy decision. Japanese benchmark Nekkei 225 jumped 1.8% to 33,018.65 while Hang Seng of Hong Kong rose 0.6% to 19,521.42. MSCI's broadest index of Asia-Pacific shares outside Japan jumped 0.3% as China reduced seven-day repo rate by 10 basis points to 1.9 from 2 on Tuesday. South Korea's Kospi increased 0.33% to 2,637.95. Shanghai Composite rose marginally to 3,233.67. The rally on the Wall Street was led by big tech stocks such as Apple, Tesla and Amazon. Over the past one month, the markets across the world have remained volatile. The surprise rate hikes by the Bank of Australia and Bank of Canada have kept investors alert.

Govt to review PLI schemes in June; focus on 6 sectors

MONIKA YADAV @ New Delhi

Commerce ministry will review production-linked incentive (PLI) schemes by June-end and seek feedback from all the stakeholders, a top official said.

While the focus will be on six sectors including specialty steel and textiles, the official said that the government could include three new sectors under the PLI Scheme.

The official, however, clarified that as of now there are no plans in the pipeline for a PLI scheme for semiconductors. He said the Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (Meity) has a scheme for semiconductor manufacturing, but that is not the PLI scheme. "We will discuss the schemes with the concerned ministries, departments, private companies and the project management agencies (PMAs). We will be focusing on six sectors including textiles and specialty steel, (the PLI schemes for) which have not yet taken off," the official said.

PLI scheme review will help the government in efficient utilisation of the entire allocation for the schemes in next two-three years, said the official.

Meanwhile, Secretary of the Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade (DPIIT) Rajesh Kumar Singh on Tuesday said the proposed PLI schemes for components of new-age e-bikes, toys and footwear are in reasonably advanced stages. However, he added no particular timeline for has been decided yet.

Total allocation of ₹1.97 lakh crore for the PLI schemes should be able to accommodate three new sectors, said Singh, while further adding that the next two years will be crucial for the government. The government brought the PLI scheme for 14 sectors such as telecommunication, white goods, textiles and pharma with the total outlay of ₹1.97 lakh crore.

Disinflation process to be slow, says RBI Governor

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Mumbai

THE Reserve Bank of India expects the disinflation process in the country to be slow.

With Gross Domestic Product (GDP) growth of 6.5% in the current fiscal, India will remain among the fastest growing large economies, said RBI governor Shaktikanta Das on Tuesday.

"As per our current assessment, the disinflation process is likely to be slow and protracted with convergence to the inflation target of 4 percent being achieved over the medium-term," Das said in his address at the Summer Meetings organised by Central Banking in London.

He said there have been signs of some softening in inflation in recent months, with the consumer price inflation coming down from the 7.8% peak in April 2022. The RBI's inflation projection for the current financial year 2023-24 is lower at 5.1%, but reminded that the number will still be above the 4% target. As per the official data released on Monday, the headline inflation has eased to 4.25% for May.

MRF first Indian share to hit ₹1L mark on bourses

ARSHAD KHAN @ New Delhi

SHARES of top tyre maker MRF made history on Tuesday by becoming the first stock to trade in six-digit figures. After gaining over 20% in last two-and-half months, the share touched an intraday high of ₹100,300 on Tuesday before settling at ₹99,950.65 apiece on the BSE.

While the scrip has achieved this feat, it is neither the most expensive stock on the exchanges nor has it given the best 1-year return among its peers. However, the return given by tyre makers over a 5-year period has not been that impressive.

RETURNS FROM TYRE STOCKS

Shares	Returns (%)			
	1-yr	3-yr	5-yr	10-yr
Ceat	120	31	8	35
Apollo Tyres	119	56	8	16
JK Tyre	85	47	8	24
MRF	47	16	6	21
Balkrishna Industries	6	26	16	34

Note: Returns over 1 year are compounded annual growth rate (CAGR)

The high value of a single share can be attributed to the management's decision to never go for a stock split or bonus issue, unlike most blue-chip stocks. A stock's price tag doesn't indicate whether it's cheap or expensive as the value depends on several factors like market capitalisation, price-to-earnings (P/E) ratio, earnings, and growth prospects. MRF shares have given an impressive return of 47% in the last one year while share of Ceat has gained about 120%, Apollo Tyres 119%, JK Tyres 85% and TVS Srichakra 80% during the period. Nifty and Sensex have gained about 19-20% in one year. Being valued at ₹42,400 crore, MRF's current market capitalisation is only next to Balkrishna Industries (current valuation of ₹44,800 crore). The rally in tyre shares is attributed to automobile sales going up and the replacement segment growing at a stable pace.

Accenture to invest $3 billion in artificial intelligence

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Bengaluru

Accenture on Tuesday announced a $3 billion investment over three years in its Data & AI practice. Many companies are now investing in artificial intelligence as it is said to boost workplaces.

Accenture said this is to help clients across industries rapidly and responsibly advance and use AI to achieve greater growth, efficiency and resilience. "There is unprecedented interest in all areas of AI, and the substantial investment we are making in our Data & AI practice will help our clients move from interest to action to value, and in a responsible way with clear business cases," said Julie Sweet, chair and CEO, Accenture.

She added, "Companies that build a strong foundation of AI by adopting and scaling it now, where the technology is mature and delivers clear value, will be better positioned to reinvent, compete and achieve new levels of performance. Our clients have complex environments, and at a time when the technology is changing rapidly, deep understanding of ecosystem solutions allows us to help them navigate quickly and cost effectively to make smart decisions." The Data & AI practice will double its AI talent to 80,000 professionals through a mix of hiring, acquisitions and training.

Govt claims airfares have come down up to 33%

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

THE government on Tuesday said airfares (booked for 1 day ahead) have come down by as much as 33% post their intervention on June 5 when the minter of civil aviation Jyotiraditya Scindia held a meeting with airline executives and asked them to self-monitor ticket prices.

The Ministry of civil aviation's (MoCA) detailed statement on ticket prices came as airlines continue to charge exorbitant fares from passengers, especially after the grounding of Go Firs on May 3.

Giving details about airfares on 10 sectors, MoCA noted that a single ticket price booked on Tuesday for Wednesday from Leh to Delhi has come to Rs 14,133 from Rs 21,050 (checked on June 5 for June 6 boarding). Similarly, Delhi-Pune airfares have come down by 32%, Delhi-Leh by 28% and Delhi-Ahmadabad by 28%. However, 1-day advance airfare between Mumbai and Delhi has seen a rise of 29%, as per the ministry's statement. As per data available at ticket booking portals, despite the price cut in a week, airfares on these routes are a few times higher than some months back.

A recent study conducted by the Airports Council International (ACI) on 36,000 routes in top 10 aviation markets in the Asia-Pacific and Middle East revealed India has seen the highest spike in international airfares in the Asia-Pacific.

India saw airfare rise of 41% while UAE's airfare surged by 34%, Singapore (30%) and Australia (23%). The fare comparison in the study was done for a period between the fourth quarter of 2022 and pre-COVID months of 2019.

Giving reason for rise in airfare, MoCA said that airfares internationally have remained firm on account of various factors like opening of markets after COVID pandemic and the resultant surge in demand, rise in ATF prices globally, supply chain disruptions on account of both COVID and Ukraine-Russia conflict etc.

"In a de-regulated environment, introducing fare caps on various sectors will lead to market distortion. The benefits of market competition will not be available to passengers at large," it said.

Sensex jumps 418 points to close at 6-month high

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

BENCHMARK Sensex rose 418 points to settle at more than six-month high while Nifty closed above the 17,700 mark on Tuesday on positive domestic macroeconomic data and gains in global markets.

Reliance Industries and ITC added to the optimism in equities. Climbing for the second straight session, the 30-share BSE Sensex went up 418.45 points or 0.67% to settle at 63,143.16, a level not seen since December 1 when the barometer closed at an all-time high. During the day, the index advanced 452.76 points or 0.72% to 63,177.47.

The NSE Nifty climbed 114.65 points or 0.62% to end at 18,716.15.

From the Sensex pack, ITC, Titan, Asian Paints, Reliance, Tata Steel, Bajaj Finserv, Axis Bank, Hindustan Unilever, Infosys, Bajaj Finance, Nestle and ICICI Bank were the major gainers. Kotak Mahindra Bank, Mahindra & Mahindra, HCL Technologies, State Bank of India, Bharti Airtel and Tata Motors were among the laggards.

Retail inflation declined to a 25-month low of 4.25% in May, mainly on account of softening prices of food and fuel items. This is the fourth straight month when retail inflation has declined.

TCS sees higher attrition among women as work-from-home ends

UMA KANNAN @ Bengaluru

WITH 35.7% of women workforce, the country's largest IT services provider Tata Consultancy Services has been witnessing higher attrition among its female employees.

The company's chief human resource officer (CHRO) Milind Lakkad in its annual report said the higher attrition among women in FY2023 is a setback to "our efforts to promote gender diversity but we are doubling down on it."He termed this higher attrition as "unusual". This comes at a time when the firm has asked its employees to work from the office for at least three days a week.

Though the company didn't provide specific details of women attrition rate, in the previous quarter it announced that attrition on an LTM (last twelve months) basis continued to trend down and was at 20.1%.

Since March 2020, a majority of IT employees are working from home. "As IT firms aim to increase women workforce by 10-12% in 2023-24, they must recognise and address the unique challenges faced by women and implement inclusive measures that foster an empowering environment where they can contribute their full potential," said Yeshab Giri, chief commercial officer, Staffing & Randstad Technologies, Randstad India.

Chief HR officer terms high attrition as 'unusual'

Company's chief human resource officer Milind Lakkad in its annual report said higher attrition among women in FY23 is a setback to "our efforts to promote gender diversity but we are doubling down on it."He termed this higher attrition as "unusual". This comes at a time when the firm has asked its employees to work from office for at least 3 days a week

"Organisations need to be more sensitive towards changing socio-economic patterns in our community. There are many roles for which organisations can allow women to work from home, either permanently or with a greater flexibility," said Aditya Narayan Mishra, MD and CEO of CIEL HR Services.

However, as per Kamal Karanth, co-founder of staffing firm Xpheno, women participation in tech workforce has grown since the pandemic. Top 5 Indian IT services bellwethers have registered a 44% growth in women workforce since the pandemic. The comparative male workforce growth for the period was 40%. Karanth said the top 5 IT service enterprises alone have added a net of 1.65 lakh women professionals to the tech sector since 2020.

"Despite significant growth in volume, women workforce participation has stayed at the 35% average mark. The percentage of women professionals in the Top 5 Bellwethers cohort moved from 34.8% in FY2020 to 35.4% in FY2023. The one-third mark looks like a comfortable spot for enterprises to stay in. It's time for enterprises to raise their aspirations on women participation by a couple of percentage points above 35%," he added.

PUBLIC NOTICE

I, **B. Ankamma Rao**, son of B. Veeraiah, aged 45 years, residing at No.1/727, 9th Line, Pandaripuram, Chilakaluripetta, Guntur District. Andhra Pradesh. I had executed Special Power of Attorney dated 28th April 2014 which is Power No.2/2014 registered before the Joint Sub-Registrar, Chilakaluripet in favor of Mr. P.Anjinaya Reddy, son of Papaiah, No.20/2, Cambridge Cross Road, Halasuru, Bangalore-560008 in respect of my immovable properties at Sy.No. 34/1, 35/1, 35/2, 37/2, 40 at Attibele, Anekal and Sy.No. 32/1, 32/2, 32/3, 33/1A, 33/1B, 33/2, 46/1 at Chikkanahalli, Anekal. Now for personal reasons and consideration has revoked all the power granted under the Special Power of Attorney dated 28th April 2014 by executing Revocation of Special Power of Attorney dated 29th May 2023 at Bangalore and registered in the office of Joint Sub-Registrar. Chilakaluripet vide Bk-4, CS No.25/2023 & Doct No.23/2023. Any instrument/ documents presented by Mr. P.Anjinaya Reddy in respect of the above said properties before you/any authority is without power and any subsequent registrations with respect to above said properties shall be void and not binding on me.

Yours Truly
B. Ankamma Rao

PUBLIC NOTICE

I, **Fairoz Khan**, S/o. Late Basha, R/a. Prakash Layout, Rajabhavi Street, Varthur, Bengaluru-560087, is the absolute owner of the property Scheduled below and I have misplaced/ lost the following Original document;

1) Registered Sale Deed dated 06.12.2005 executed by Sri Sommanna S/o. Siddeshappa in favour of Smt. M. Nirmala W/o. Sri M.Ravi, registered as Document No.2350/2005-06, Book-I, Stored in CD No.MLRD13 and registered in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Malur.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

Agriculture Land in Sy.No.223, extending over 0-14 Guntas, Situated at Madivala Village, Kasaba Hobli, Mallur Taluk, Kolar District and bounded as **East by:** Thoomalli Road and Mallur to Kolar Highway; **West by:** Land in Sy.No.48 of Bellavi Village belonging to Dasappa; **North by:** Land in Sy.No.47 of Madivala Village belonging to Narayanamma and **South by:** Land in Sy.No.222 and 47 of Madivala Village belonging to Narayanamma and Nagaraj.

Any person/s claiming possession of the said misplaced/ lost document, may kindly hand over the same to the undersigned **within 7 days** from hereof. The finder of the same shall be suitably rewarded.

Fairoz Khan, S/o.LateBasha,
R/a.Prakash Lay-out, Rajabhavi Street, Varthur, Bengaluru-560087. Mob:9739079786

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform to the general public that **I, Smt Theerthamma,** aged about 92 years residing at No.18, 1st A main road, BTM layout 2nd stage, Bangalore 560076,has **Lost the original Registered Sale Deed,** Khata bearing Document no.3213/1992 in the sub registrar Hosur pertaining to property bearing **Plot no:316,Survey no:755/755,** measuring 40x60 totally 2400sq.fts **at Kelamangalam Block, Ponnapalli Village, Hosur Taluk, Tamil Nadu.** On 03-06-2023, I have lost original documents in transit at BTM layout 2nd stage. A police complaint has been lodged on 09-06-2023.vide lost **Report no 0596171/2023.** Any person/s in possession of the aforesaid documents may return the same to me for reward or anyone having any sort of claim over the said property may lodge their objections in writing within 7 days from this day to the undersigned

Smt. Theerthamma.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform to public my client **Mr. RAJESH KUMAR** S/o. Durai, is the absolute owner of the Site No. 117, BBMP Katha No. 1291/574/117, Situated at Kammanallalli Village, Bannerghatta Road, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk formed Sy.No.126/1 and others **Measuring East to West 70 Feet and North to South: 50 Feet.** The above mentioned property Original Sale Deed Registered vide Document No. 2281/1994.95, Book-1 Volume No. 3838, Pages: 113 to 115 in the Office of the Sub-Registrar, B.S.Tq. The above mention. property original Sale Deed have been lost in travelling by vehicle on 2020. In case anybody traced above said property in original Sale Deed. Please send me my above mentioned address.

H.G. VENKATARAMU, Advocate
No. 717/8, 6th 'A' Main, Srinagar,
Bangalore-560050. Date : 13.06.2023;
Mob No: 9448324253

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that my client Mr. M. SRINIVASA REDDY, Late MUNISWAMY REDDY, has lost Original Sale Deed dated 05/06/2007, registered as Document No. 3659/2007, of Book 1, in the office of the Sub Registrar, Kelamangalam, Denkanikottai Taluk, Tamil Nadu, My Original deed is lost in near KSRTC bus stand in Anekal. in this regard my client has lodged a police complaint on dated 13-06-2023. Complaint No. C.Miss. No:132/2023 (Anekal Police Station).

If any Person/s find the aforesaid original document may handover the same to the undersigned at the earlier.

PRAKASH REDDY, Advocate
Mob No. 99027 16540

IN THE COURT OF THE I ADDL. CHIEF METROPOLITAN MAGISTARTE COURT AT BENGALURU

C. MISC. No. 712/2023

BETWEEN: Mr. Rajashekara, S/o. Pakirappa, No.8/A, 8th Cross, Om Shivashakthinagar, Chunchagatta, Bengaluru South, Konanakunte, Bengaluru-560 062. ... **PETITIONER**

AND: The Commisisoner, Register of Births and Deaths, BBMP, Bengaluru ... **RESPONDENT**

NOTICE

Whereas, the petitioner named above has filed the above petition seeking direction to register the date of death of the deceased who is the mother of the petitioner by name as **PUTTAMMA W/o. PAKIRAPPA** who died on 27/08/1991 at No. 8/A, 8th Cross, Om Shivashakathinagar, Chunchagatta, Bengaluru South, Konanakunte, Bengaluru-560 062 and issue the direction accordingly for the death certificate. It is required to produce the same before the concerned authorities for the purpose of getting Death Certificicate/ and other government facilities.

Any person interested and having any objection in this matter, may appear before the above court at 11.00 a.m. on **03-07-2023** to which date the case is posted for hearing.

Given under my hand and the seal on this 03-06-2023.

By order of the Court, Senior Sheristedhar, 1st Additional Chief Metropolitian Magistrate Court, Bengaluru.

Advocate for Petitioner: **Sri. Nagabhushan M.C.**
No. 104/1, Ground Floor, 8th Cross, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru-560 003.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This General Public Notice is hereby given on behalf of my client **Mr Chandrashekar M.K** having his office at No.953, 1st Stage, 1st Phase, 16th Cross, Chandra Layout, Bengaluru - 560 072 who intends purchase 2 (TWO) residential site belonging to one from **Smt. SAPNA NAGARAJ** W/o Sri Mahesh Kumar.M D/o Sri S. Nagaraj @ Babu, Aged about 40 years, No.287, CQAL Layout, Sahakaranagar Post, Sahakaranagar Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru-560 092 which referred to as **Schedule 'A' Property** and another from **Smt. M.R.NETHRAVATHI** W/o Sri K. Sadanandappa, Aged about 62 years, No.519, 2nd Main Road, Shastrinagar, Tyagarajnagar, Bengaluru-560 028 which is referred to as **Schedule 'B' Property.**

Any person/s, agents, company, bank/s having any claim, any charge, lien, minor Claims, right/s, title, interest whatsoever with respect to schedule properties mentioned below may register/ file his/her or their objections along with Documentary Proof to the undersigned address shown below **within 7 days** from the date of Publication of this Notice, failing which my client shall seal the approval for purchase and any claims thenceforth shall be deemed to have been given-up or waived.

SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of Residential **Site bearing No.24** the New No. 11/2-13/2/24 which is carved out of Mallathahalli Grama old Sy No.11 & 13 then new No.11/2, 13/2 on Western side, BBMP ward No.129, Bengaluru Urban, Mallathahalli Municipal Katha No.296/24/11/2/13/2 **present Katha No.24/11/2/13/2** measuring **East to West 30 feet and North to South 75 feet in all measuring 2250 square feet** which is situated at Mallatahalli Grama, Yeshwanthapura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk Bengaluru which is bounded on:

East by : Road
West by : Shivashakar & Anusuya's property
North by : Site No.25 belongs to Nethravathi
South by: Road

SCHEDULE 'B' PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of Residential **Site bearing No.25** the New No. 11/2-13/2/25 which is carved out of Mallathahalli Grama old Sy No.11 & 13 then new No.198/25/11/2, 13/2 on Western side, BBMP ward No.129, Bengaluru Urban, Mallathahalli Municipal Katha No.297/25/11/2/13/2 present Katha No.25/11/2/13/2 measuring **East to West 30 feet and North to South 75 feet in all measuring 2250 square feet** which is situated at Mallatahalli Grama, Yeshwanthapura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk Bengaluru which is bounded on

East by : Road
West by : remaining property in Sy No.11/2
North by : M Ramu property
South by: Veena's property

Sd/-

Arun A. Gadag, Advocate,
Office No.45, SNS Plaza,4th Floor, Shivanand Circle, Kumar Krupa Road, Bengaluru-560 001 Mob- 9945482525

GOVT. TOOL ROOM & TRAINING CENTRE

(Indo-Danish Project)
Rajajinagar Industrial Estate, Bangalore - 560010
Phone: 23157189 Fax: 080- 23301683
Website: www.karnataka.gov.in/gttc
E-mail: gttc.projects@karnataka.gov.in

No.:GTTC/PROJ/CONS/PMC/BD-125/2023-24 Date: 13.06.2023

SHORT TERM E-TENDER NOTIFICATION

e-Tender is invited from qualifi ed Project Management. Technical and Architectural Consultancy and Quality Control Firm for GTTC Projects for two years. Tender documents are available on KPP-Portal on **16-06-2023** and last date for uploading the documents is **17-07-2023 upto 16:00 hrs**. For further details log on to website: **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** or Help desk Ph No: +918023010900, +918023010901

Sd/-
Managing Director

DIPR/CP/BCPL/260/2023-24

STATE BANK OF INDIA

Retail Assets Central Processing Centre, Yelahanka(18994)
No.5/1, Prestige Star Building,I Floor, Ring Road, Near Mother Dairy
Yelahanka Newtown, Bengaluru-560065
Tel:080-29720743/45/49, Email ID:sbi.18994@sbi.co.in

POSSESSION NOTICE

Under Rule - 8 (1) (For immovable property)

A/c No.HL 38951950266, Suraksha 38955246131

WHEREAS, The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of **State Bank of India, RACPC, Yelahanka, Bengaluru** under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a Demand Notice dated **16.03.2023** calling upon the borrower **Sri. Vinod Babu Reesu** S/o Late Gowri Prasad to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.63,04,621/-** (Rupees Sixty Three Lakh Four Thousand Six Hundred Twenty One Only) as on 13.03.2023 with future interest at contractual rate from 14.03.2023 together with incidental expenses, costs, charges etc.,within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower/mortgager having failed to repay the amount as mentioned in the Demand Notice, notice is hereby given to the borrower/mortgager and the public in general that the undersigned, being the Authorised Officer of the State Bank of India, RACPC, Yelahanka, Bengaluru has taken possession of the property standing in the name of Sri. Vinod Babu Reesu S/o Late Gowri Prasad described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Sub-section (4) of Section 13 of Act read with rule 8 of the Security Interest Enforcement Rules 2002,on **12.06.2023.**

The borrower/mortgager in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **State Bank of India** for an amount of **Rs.64,57,018/-** (Rupees Sixty FourLakh Fifty Seven Thousand Eighteen Only) as on 04.06.2023 and further interest at contractual rate from 05.06.2023 with incidental expenses, costs, charges etc thereon.

The borrower's/mortgager's/guarantor's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

DESCRIPTION OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing Municipal New No.43 (Old No.1/34), PID No.55-728-43, situated at Kumaraswamy Layout, Adjacent to Revenue Layout, BBMP Ward No.181, BMP Ward No.55, erstwhile Southern portion of House List No.1, Khatha No.34 of Govinayakanahalli Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, measuring East to West: 40 feet and North to South: 30 feet, in all 1,200 square feet, standing in the name of Sri.Vinod Babu Reesu S/o Late Gowri Prasad and bounded on: East by : 30 Feet Road, West By : Property belongs to Sri.Malleshaiah and his sons,North By : Northern portion of Site No.1,South By : BDA Property.

Place:Bengaluru
Date: 12.06.2023

Sd/- Authorised Officer
State Bank of India,
RACPC, Yelahanka, Bengaluru

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL - 1, BENGALURU

4th Floor, Telephone House Building Rajbhavan Road Bangalore - 560001

Form No. 14 (See Regulation 33(2))

DEMAND NOTICE

Notice under Sections 25 to 28 of the Recovery of Debts Due To Banks and Financial Instituions Act, 1993 and Rule 2 of Second Schedule to the Income Tax Act, 1961.

RC 128/2021 **23/03/2021**

Canara Bank, SME Peenya Branch, No. D-473, 13th Cross, 4th Phase, Rotary Udyog Bhawan, Peenya Industrial Area, Bengaluru - 560 058. **...Certificate Holder**

Versus

M/s. SDEC Technologies Inc.,
To: 1) M/s. SDEC Technologies Inc., B-102, 2nd Cross, 1st Stage, Peenya II Phase, Peenya Bengaluru - 560 058, Represented by its Proprietor Sri Elangovan M. S.
2) Sri. Elangovan M.S. S/o Sri. M. Subramanian, No. 1199, 1st Main Road, 2nd Block, BEL Layout, Vidyaranyapura, Bengaluru.
3) Sri Rakesh Sharma, S/o. Late S. K. Shamanna, No. 731, 6th Main, HMT Layout, 5th Block, Vidyaranyapura Post, Bengaluru - 560 097. **... Certificate Debtors**

This is to notify that as per the Recovery Certificate issued in pursuance of orders passed by the Presiding Officer, **Debts Recovery Tribunal, Bengaluru (DRT1)** in **OA /719/2018** an amount of **Rs.59,17,766.00** (Rupees Fifty Nine Lakh Seventeen Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty Six Only) along with pendentellite and future interest and costs till realization.

2. You are hereby directed to pay the above sum within 15 days of the receipts of the notice, failing which the recovery shall be made in accordance with the Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 and Rules there under.

3.You are hereby ordered to declare on an affidavit the particulars of yours assets on or before the next date of hearing.

4. You are hereby ordered to appear before the undersigned on **03/05/2021 at 10.30 a.m.** for further proceedings.

5. In addition to the sum aforesaid, you will be liable to pay:
(a) Such interests as is payable for the period commencing immediately after this notice of the certificate/ execution proceedings.
(b) All costs, charges and expenses incurred in respect of the service of this notice and warrants and other processess and all other proceedings taken for recovering the amount due.

Given under my hand and seal of the Tribunal on **23.03.2021.**

Sd/-Recover Officer - 2
Debts Recovery Tribunal, Bangalore (DRT1)

Note: Attention is invited to Rule 16 of the Second Schedule of the Income Tax Act 1961 read with Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 which is reproduced below:
"Rule 16 (1) Where a notice has been served on a defaulter under Rule 2, the defaulter or his representative or his representative in interest shall not be competent to mortgage, charge, lease or otherwise deal with any property belonging to him except with the permission of the Debt Recovery Officer, nor shall any Civil Court issue any process against such property in execution of a decree for the payment of money.(2) Where an attachment has been made under this Schedule any private transfer or delivery of the property attached or of any interest therein and any payment to the defaulter of any debt, dividend or other monies contrary to such attachment, shall be void, as against all claims enforceable under the attachment".

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL AT COIMBATORE

O.A.No. 235 of 2021

M/s. HDFC BANK LIMITED,
7th Floor, B -Wing,
Prince Kushal Towers,
No.96, Mount Road, Chennai 600002
..... Applicant

-Vs-

1.M/s. Vimalashri Tex,
Rep. by its Partner,
Mr.K.Sundaram,
No.68/4, Aasari Kadu, Vennandur, Rasipuram, Salem - 637 505
2.Mr.K.Sundaram, S/o. Krishnan, No.185A, Thangasalai Street No.1, Vennandur Post, Rasipuram Taluk, Namakkal District – 637 508
3. Mrs.S.Vimala, W/o.S.Shashikumar, No.649, 2nd Block, 3rd Stage, Saneguruvanhalli, Basaveshwaranagar, Bangalore – 560 079

..... Defendants

Whereas the above named applicant has filed the above original application against you for recovery of money. You are hereby summoned to appear before the Hon'ble Tribunal either in person or through counsel on **18.07.2023 at 10.30 A.M.**

Take notice that in default of your appearance on that day the above mentioned the original application will be heard and determined in your absence.

M/s. VASTLAW ASSOCIATES,
Advocates
No.30, Sarojini Street,
Chinna Chokkikulam, Madurai-625 002

![Canara Bank]
Canara Bank
(A Government of India Undertaking)
Basavangudi Branch, Post Bag No. 493, 180/1,
Gandhibazar, Basavangudi, Bangalore - 560 004

Possession Notice

Appendix IV- Rule 8(1) Section 13(4) (For Immovble Property)

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of the **Canara Bank , Basavangudi Branch, Bengaluru** under Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act 54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a Demand Notice dated **01.04.2023** calling upon the borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors, **1) Adithya Mahesh,** No. 12/2, Surveyor Street, Basavangudi, Bengaluru - 560 004, **2) Smt. Shanthala H. M.**, No. 12/2, Surveyor Street, Basavangudi, Bengaluru - 560 004, **and 3) Smt. Vimala Basavaraju,** F1, First Floor, "Benaka Enclave", 1st Cross, 2nd Stage, K. B. H. Colony, Basaveshwara Nagar, Bengaluru - 560 079 to repay the amount mentioned in the Notice, being **Rs.74,63,076.00** (Rupees Seventy Four Lakhs Sixty Three Thousand Seventy Six only) **as on 01.04.2023** within 60 days from the date of the said notice, together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

The Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers and the public in general, that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him /her under Section 13 (4) of the said Act read with Rules 8 & 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this **6th Day of June 2023.**

The borrower's attention is invited to the provisions of sub Section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

The borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **Canara Bank,** for an amount of **Rs.74,63,076.00** (Rupees Seventy Four Lakhs Sixty Three Thousand Seventy Six only) as on 01.04.2023 together with further ineterest and incidental expenses and costs.

Description of the Immovable Property

All that part and parcel of the property bearing Residential Apartment No. F1, on the First Floor, in the Residential Apartment Complex known as "Benaka Enclave", having super built up area measuring 1300 square feet constructed on the property bearing Flat No. F1, situated at 1st Cross, 2nd Stage, KBH Colony, Basaveshwara Nagar, Bengaluru-560 079. Bounded on : East by : HIG 23 Property, West by : HIG 25 Property, North by: HIG 17 Property South by : Road.

Date: 09.06.2023
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Canara Bank

HOUSING DEVELOPMENT FINANCE CORPORATION LTD. CIN L70100MH1977PLC019916

Regd. Office: Ramon House, H T Parekh Marg, 169, Backbay Reclamation, Churchgate, Mumbai- 400020
Regional Office : HDFC House, No.51, Kasturaba Road, Bangalore - 560001. **Ph :** 080 64807999
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DEMAND NOTICE

Under Section 13 (2) of the Securitisation And Reconstruction Of Financial Assets And Enforcement Of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of **Housing Development Finance Corporation Ltd. (HDFC Limited)** under Securitisation And Reconstruction Of Financial Assets And Enforcement Of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, issued Demand Notice under Section 13 (2) of the said Act, calling upon the Borrower(s) / Legal Heir(s) / Legal Representative(s) listed hereunder, to pay the amounts mentioned in the Demand Notice, within 60 days from the date of the said Notice, as per details given below. The undersigned have, caused/are getting the said Notice to be pasted on the premises of the last known respective addresses of the said Borrower(s) / Legal Heir(s) / Legal Representative(s). Copies of the said Notice are available with the undersigned, and the said Borrower(s) / Legal Heir(s) / Legal Representative(s), may, if they so desire, collect the respective copy from the undersigned on any working day during normal office hours.

In connection with the above, Notice is hereby given, once again, to the said Borrower(s) / Legal Heir(s) / Legal Representative(s) to pay to HDFC Limited, within 60 days from the date of publication of this Notice, the amount indicated hereinbelow in their name(s), together with further interest @ 18% p.a. as detailed in the said Demand Notice from the date mentioned below in column (c) till the date of payment and / or realisation, read with the loan agreement and other documents/writings, if any, executed by the said Borrower(s). As security for due repayment of the loan, the following Secured Asset has been mortgaged to HDFC Limited by the said Borrower (s) respectively.

Attention of the Borrower(s) / Legal Hein(s) / Legal Representative(s) is invited to the provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured asset.

Sr. No.	Name of Borrower(s) / Legal Heir(s) / Legal Representative (s)	Total Outstanding Dues	Date of Demand Notice	(Description of Secured Asset in respect of which Security Interest has been created)
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)
01	**Mr. Dhananjaya (Borrower),** # 81, 1st Main, 4th Cross, JJR Nagar, Chamarajpet Bazar, Bengaluru 560018. **Mr. Dhananjaya (Borrower) & Mrs. Sujatha Dhananjaya (Co-Borrower),** No. 1157, 1st Floor, 2nd Main Road, B.E.M.L. 5th Stage, R.R.Nagar, Bangalore-560 098, **And also at:** Flat 301, 2nd Floor, Vibrant White Pearl Apartment, Kasturba Nagar, Azad Nagar Ward, Mysore Main Road, Bengaluru 560060. **Mr. Dhananjaya (Borrower),** Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, **Designation**: Tax Inspector, **Department**: Revenue, **Employee No:** 13666, Executive Engineer, Tec Division, BBMP, N.R.Square, Avenue Road, Bengaluru 560002. **Mrs. Sujatha Dhananjaya (Co-Borrower),** Tution Classes from Home, **Designation:** Proprietrix, # 81, 1st Main 4th Cross, JJR Nagar, Chamarajpet Bazaar, Bengaluru 560018.	Loan A/c Nos: (1) 625720917 Rs.24,12,651/-, (2) 627269655 Rs.40,082/- Grand Total Rs. 24,52,733/- [Rupees Twenty Four Lakhs Fifty Two Thousand Seven Hundred & Thirty Three only] As on 31.05.2023	09.06.2023 .... N.P.A. Date 05.04.2023	**Schedule-A**: All that piece and parcel of Western portion of properly bearing **No.269/1, present No.269/1-1,** PID No.45-1-269/1-1, situated at Mysore Road, Bangalore-26 within the jurisdiction of Azad Nagar ward No.45 of BBMP, measuring: On the northern side : 66 ft., On the southern side : 39 ft., On the eastern side : 162.1 ft., On the western side : 154.5 ft. In all measuring about **8310 Sq.ft** and bounded on the: East by : Remaining property in the same number belonging to Gautam M Kalburgi, West by: Property of K.C.Chandramohan, North by: Mysore Road, South by : Property belonging to Gajraj Kothari. **Schedule-B:** **430 Sq.ft** of undivided right and interest in the Schedule 'A' Property. **Schedule-C**: The Apartment bearing **flat No.301, East Facing** on the **Second Floor** of the building known as **'WHITE PEARL'** constructed on the Schedule 'A' Property, having Super built up area of **1720 Sq.ft with 3 bedrooms,** One Hall, Kitchen, Store Room / Utility, Two Attached Toilet and Bathroom and One Common Toilet and Bathroom, and Three Balcony, inclusive of proportionate share of common areas along with one Car parking spaces in the basement floor No.301, and bounded on the East by : Passage, West by : Setback, North by : Mysore Main Road, South by : Flat No.302.

*with further interest @ 18% p.a. as applicable, incidental expenses, costs, charges etc incurred till the date of payment and / or realization. If the said Borrower (s) / Legal Heir(s) / Legal Representative(s) fail to make payment to HDFC Limited as aforesaid, then HDFC Limited shall proceed against the above Secured Asset / Immovable Property under Section 13 (4) of the said Act and the applicable Rules entirely at the risk of the said Borrower(s) / Legal Heir(s) / Legal Representative(s) as to the costs and consequences.

The said Borrower (s) / Legal Heir(s) / Legal Representative(s) are prohibited under the said Act to transfer the aforesaid Secured Asset / Immovable Property, whether by way of sale, lease or otherwise without the prior written consent of HDFC Limited. Any person who contravenes or abets contravention of the provisions of the Act or Rules made thereunder shall be liable for imprisonment and/or penalty as provided under the Act.

Date: 14.06.2023
Place: Bangalore

Sd/- Authorized Officer
HDFC Ltd., Under SARFAESI ACT, 2002

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform to the general public Sri.Ranganath C M, Son of Sri. C R Muddarangaiah, residing at No.11, Mahadeshwara Nagar, Herohalli Cross, Vishwaneedam Post, Bangalore-560091 (AADHAAR: 5001 9880 0132) has approached my client Sree Subramanyeshwara Co-operative Bank Limited, Vijayanagar Branch, 7th Main Rd, SBI Staff Colony, Hoshalli Extension, Stage 1, Vijayanagar, Bengaluru 560040 to avail the loan on the security of the schedule property belonging to him;

It is informed to my client that the owner is not possessing the following documents: a) Sale Deed dated 15-03-1972 executed by Sri.Gisulal in favour of Sri.Kempegowda and registered as document No.4556/71-72, Book I, Volume 332, Pages 238 to 240 and registered in the office of the Sub Registrar, Sreerampuram, b) Sale deed dated 18-04-1974 executed by Sri.Kempegowda in favour of Sri.Periyaswamy and registered as document No.243/74-75, Book I, Volume 414, Pages 51 to 53 and registered in the office of the Sub Registrar, Sreerampuram and c) receipt for having paid the betterment charges. In this regard complaint dated 09-06-2023 has been lodged with online Police Complaint to Bangalore City Police Unit and obtained acknowledgement dated 09-06-2023 vide lost report No.0595594/2023, with regard to missing of the above two original title deeds;

Any person/s, having any claim over the schedule property on the basis of referred missing/lost above two original Sale Deed dated 15-03-1972 and 18-04-1974 may lodge their objections or claims, in writing with all supporting documentary evidence by registered post with regard to such claim with the undersigned within 07 (seven) days hereof, failing which the above Bank will proceed to process the loan application filed by the Sri.Ranganath C M. Any claims lodged thereafter will not be entertained by my client;

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of property bearing Municipal No.31/12 (earlier western portion of site No.8, carved out of land in Sy.No.481 still earlier sy.no.212/213 of Kempapura Agrahara), situated at Third Cross, Hosahalli, Bangalore, Ward No.124-Hosahalli, (old ward No.34-RPC Layout), PID No:34-20-31/12 together with the structures standing there on and bounded on the:

East by : Property belonging to Sri.S Chandrashekaraiah (earlier eastern portion of site No.8);
West by : Property bearing No.7;
North by : Road;
South by : Industrial Department Park;
MEASURING : East to West:15 feet; North to South: 68 feet; In all ad-measuring 1020 sq.ft.,

N S SATYANARAYANA GUPTA
K S NAYAK, N S RACHANA,
N C JANARDHAN, Advocates
Rachana Law Associates
"Lakshmideep", I Floor, No:2980,
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Dt: 13-06-2023

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Tel- 0663-2548268, E-mail id- serwcirclesbp@yahoo.com

e- Procurement No. 1301 / Dated: 12.06.2023

0-223: Chief Construction Engineer, Rural Works Circle, Sambalpur on behalf of **Odisha State Rural Roads Agency** invites **Percentage (%)** bids through e_Procurement from eligible class of experienced bidders for construction of Bridges including maintenance for 5 years under **Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana PMGSY-III, Batch-1 of 2022-23.**

1	Name of work.	:	Construction of Bridge/Bridge with Bandhara works including five year maintenance under PMGSY-III, Batch-I of 2022-23.
2.	Class of Contractor	:	As mentioned in Annexure
3.	No of packages	:	03 Nos of Package
4.	Estimated cost	:	**Varies from Approx. Rs.344.55 Lakha to Rs.595.25 Lakh** (Information in DTCN will be Final)
5.	Bid submission fee	:	Rs.10,000/- (Non-Refundable) per set of package
6.	Mode of submission of tender	:	Only through online in website. **www.pmgsytenders.gov.in**
7	Summary of key date are provided below:		

Procurement Officer	Bid Identification No.	Availability of Tender online for bidding		Last date & time for seeking clarification	Last Date and time of submission of Original documents	Date & Time of opening of tender	
		From	To			Technical Bid	Financial Bid
Chief Construction Engineer, Rural Works, Circle, Sambalpur	PMGSY online RWCSBP 07-2023/24	19.06.2023 From 11.00 A.M.	03.07.2023 Up to 05.00 P.M.	29.06.2023 Up to 5.00 P.M.	06.07.2023 By 5.00 PM	04.07.2023 At 11.00 A.M.	Will be intimated later

***Special conditions** 1-EPF registration is mandatory before drawl of agreement. 2 - Rate quoted by the contractor shall be excluding GST. 3. Bid submission fee and original affidavits should be submitted at the O/o Chief Construction Engineer, Rural Works Circle, Sambalpur Or O/o Executive Engineer/Superintending Engineer of Concern Rural Works Division.

* Details can be seen from the e-procurement portal www.pmgsytenders.gov.in
* Subsequent modification/corrigendum/ Addendum if required shall be appeared in the website only.

Sd/- Chief Construction Engineer, Rural Works Circle, Sambalpur **OIPR- 25091/11/0014/2324**

PUBLIC NOTICE

We are investigating the title of the landowners as detailed in the table below (**"Owners"**) with respect to the lands situated at Begur Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk and Hulimangala and NanjapuraVillage, JiganiHobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District morefully described in the schedule hereunder and hereinafter referred to as the **"Schedule Property"**.

Any person having any right, title, claim or interest in the Schedule Property must notify the undersigned with documentary proof thereof within fifteen (15) days of this publication. In case no such notice is received by us within fifteen (15) days from the date of publication of this notice, it shall be presumed that the title of the Owner with respect to the Schedule Property is clear, marketable and free from encumbrance/s of any kind whatsoever and no person has any right, title or interest of any nature whatsoever in respect of the Schedule Property or any part thereof. Claims or alleged interest, if any, which are not received within fifteen (15) days from the date of publication of this notice shall be deemed to have been waived and disregarded for all intents and purposes and shall not be binding on our client.

SCHEDULE

BEGUR VILLAGE

All that piece and parcel of land situated at Begur Village Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk Bangalore Urban District totally admeasuring 1 acre 23 guntas, and bounded on:

Sl. Nos	Survey Nos.	Extents Acres	Extents Guntas	Boundaries East By: E; West By: W; North By: N; South By: S	Details of the Owners
1	33/1	1	23	E: Property belonging to H.R. Ravichandra W: Property belonging to Dodda Ramaiah N: Property belonging to H.R. Ravichandra S: Private Property	H.R. Ravichandra son of late Rajashekar Reddy R/at(1) No. 748, 18th Main, 6th Block, Koramangala, Bangalore-560 095. (2) No.551, 16th "A" Main, 3rd Block, Koramangala, Bangalore-560 034.

NANJAPURA VILLAGE

All that piece and parcel of lands situated at Nanjapura Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District totally admeasuring ¾ guntas, and bounded on:

Sl. Nos	Survey Nos.	Extents Acres	Extents Guntas	Boundaries East By: E; West By: W; North By: N; South By: S	Details of the Owners
1	4/2	0	¾	E: Survey No.4/1 of Nanjapura Village. W: Survey No.117 of Hulimangala Village N: Survey No.119/2 of Hulimangala Village S: Survey No.4/1 of Nanjapura Village.	H.R. Ravichandra son of late Rajashekar Reddy R/at(1) No. 748, 18th Main, 6th Block, Koramangala, Bangalore-560 095. (2) No.551, 16th "A" Main, 3rd Block, Koramangala, Bangalore-560 034.

HULIMANGALA VILLAGE

All that piece and parcel of lands situated at Hulimangala Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District totally admeasuring 6 acres14 ½ guntas, and bounded on:

Sl. Nos	Survey Nos.	Extents Acres	Extents Guntas	Boundaries East By: E; West By: W; North By: N; South By: S	Details of the Owners
1	116	1	26	E: Survey No.4 of Nanjapura Village. W: Jigani- Hulimangala Road. N: Survey No.117 of Hulimangala Village S: Nanjapura Village Boundary.	H.R. Ravichandra son of late Rajashekar Reddy residing at (1) No.748, 18th Main, 6th Block, Koramangala, Bangalore-560 095. (2) No.551, 16th "A" Main, 3rd Block, Koramangala, Bangalore-560 034.
2.	117	1	4	E: Survey No.4 of Nanjapura Village. W: Jigani- Hulimangala Road. N: Survey No.118 of Hulimangala Village. S: Survey No.116 of Hulimangala Village.	
3.	119/2	1	30 ½	E: Survey No.119/1 of Hulimangala Village. W: Survey Nos.118 and 121 of Hulimangala Village. N: Survey No.120 of Hulimangala Village. S: Survey No.4 of Nanjapura Village.	
4.	120/2	0	25	E: Property belonging to Thimma Reddy. W: Property belonging to Sampangirama Reddy. N: Property belonging to Pilla Reddy and Thimma Reddy. S: Property belonging to Nirmala.	M/s.Urbanize Developers (India) Private Limited situated at No.9/2-2, Purushotham Layout, Off SBI Road, St. Marks Road, Bangalore - 5600085
5.	120/3	0	25	E: Property belonging to Rajagopal Reddy. W: Property belonging to Manoj Kumar. N: Property belonging to Pilla Reddy and Thimma Reddy. S: Property belonging to Nirmala.	
6.	120/4	0	24	E: Nanjapura Village Boundary. W: Property belonging to Thimma Reddy. N: Property belonging to Pilla Reddy and Thimma Reddy. S: Property belonging to Nirmala.	

Place: Bengaluru
Date: 13.06.2023

Malini Raju
JSA
Advocates and Solicitors,
Level 3, Prestige Obelisk,No.3, Kasturba Road,
Bangalore-560 001. **Ph:** 080-43503600.

JANA SMALL FINANCE BANK

(A scheduled commercial bank)

Registered Office: The Fairway, Ground & First Floor, Survey No.10/1, 11/2 &12/2B, Off Domlur, Koramangala Inner Ring Road, Next to EGL Business Park, Challaghatta, Bangalore-560071.

E-AUCTION NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE FOR SALE THROUGH E-AUCTION UNDER THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT (SARFAESI ACT) 2002, READ WITH PROVISO RULE 8(6) & 9 OF SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES 2002.

The undersigned as authorised officer of **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited** has **taken possession** of the following property in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(4) of the SARFAESI ACT. The Borrower in particular and public at large are informed that online auction (e-auction)of the mortgage property in the below mentioned account for realisation of dues of the Bank will be held on **"AS IS WHERE IS BASIS "** and **"AS IS WHAT IS BASIS"** on the date as prescribed as here under.

Sr. No.	Loan Account Number	Name of Original Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor	Date of 13-2 Notice	Date of Possession	Present Outstanding balance as on 12.06.2023	Date & Time of Inspection of the property	Reserve Price in INR	Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) in INR	Date and Time of E-Auction	Last date TIME & Place for submission of Bid
1	45359420000286	1) C. M. Nagaraj (Mortgager & Borrower), 2) Sunil Kumar (Mortgager & Borrower), 3) Shilpa N. (Co-Borrower)	20-10-2022	25-04-2023	Rs.34,36,717/- (Rupees Thirty Four Lakh Thirty Six Thousand Seven Hundred Seventeen Only)	21.06.2023 Time: 9:30 AM to 05:00 PM	Rs.25,95,000/- (Rupees Twenty Five Lakh Ninety Five Thousand Only)	Rs.2,59,500/- (Rupees Two Lakh Fifty Nine Thousand Five Hundred Only)	30.06.2023 @ 02:00 PM	29.06.2023, Till 5.00 PM Jana Small Finance Bank Ltd., Head Office: The Fairway, Ground & First Floor, Survey No.10/1, 11/2 & 12/2B, Off Domlur, Koramangla Inner Ring Road, Next to EGL Business Park, Challaghatta, Bangalore-560071
	Mortgaged Immovable Property: All the Piece and Parcel of the Southern portion of property bearing Site No.8/11, H.L.No.166, measuring East to West 31 feet and North to South 25 feet total Measuring 775 sq.ft. situated at Byappanaahalli Manavarthkaval Village, Krishnarajpuram, Bangalore East Taluk and Presently cones under the limits of BBMP and **Bounded on: East by:** Road, **West by:** Military Property, **North by:** Remaining Portion of Site No.8/11 retained by the vendor herein, **South by:** Private Property.									

The properties are being held on **"AS IS WHERE IS BASIS" & "AS IS WHAT IS BASIS"** and the E-Auction will be conducted **'On Line'.** The auction will be conducted through the Bank's approved service provider **M/s. 4 Closure** at the web portal **https://bankauctions.in** & **www.foreclosureindia.com.** For more information and For details, help, procedure and online training on e-auction, prospective bidders may contact **M/s. 4 Closure; Contact Mr. Bhaskar Naidu Contact Number: 8142000809/ 8142000061. Email id: info@bankauctions.in / subbarao@bankauctions.in.**

For further details on terms and conditions to take part in e-auction proceedings and any for any query relating to property please contact **Jana Small Finance Bank authorized officers Mr. Ranjan Naik (9590858249) & Mr. B Sreejith (9916827135)** To the best of knowledge and information of the Authorised Officer, there are no encumbrances on the properties. However the intending bidders should make their own independent inquiries regarding the encumbrances, title of property put on prior to submitting their bid. No conditional bid will be accepted. This is also a notice to the above named Borrowers/ Guarantor's/ Mortgagors about e-auction scheduled for the mortgaged properties. The Borrower/ Guarantor/ Mortgagor are hereby notified to pay the sum as mentioned above along with up to date interest and ancillary expenses before the date of auction, failing which the property will be sold and balance dues if any will be recovered with interest and cost.

Date: 14.06.2023, Place: Bangalore **Sd/- Authorized Officer, Jana Small Finance Bank Limited**

Shreyanka grabs 5/2 as India crush Hong Kong

Rising all-rounder Shreyanka Patil decimated an inexperienced Hong Kong side with impressive figures of 5/2 as Indian U-23 women's team opened its campaign in the Women's Emerging Asia Cup with a comfortable nine-wicket victory. Hong Kong were bowled out for 34 in 14 overs. In reply, India achieved the target in 5.2 overs.

It's time for Next Gen

It's been a couple of days since the World Test Championship got over. With no cricket for the senior men till July, there is a lot of time to dissect and analyse the performances to see what went wrong. However, one thing is clear. The transition is here with the majority of the current India players on the wrong side of the 30s. While not long ago there seemed to be a steady pipeline to make it to the Indian team, it doesn't look the same now. There are a few viable options, especially those who should be playing a lot more for India A at the very least. With the next WTC Final two years away, no better time to look at some of the players who are ready for the next level of challenge...

YASHASVI JAISWAL

There is a reason why he was brought in as a reserve when Ruturaj Gaikwad missed out on the WTC. The young opener from Mumbai is not just one of the top performers in the IPL, but also one of the all-format talents who could dominate at the top level. In 2022-23, the flamboyant southpaw made 1327 runs at an average of 82.9 in red-ball cricket with six centuries (three double hundreds). He can attack, has the ability to build an innings, has the hunger for runs and clearly is ready to be challenged at a much higher level.

ARSHDEEP SINGH

The left-arm pacer kicked off his county stint at Kent with the wicket of Ben Foakes thanks to a sharp inswinger this week. He is one of the key options for India in T20Is, but Arshdeep is capable of much more and he is working towards the same as well. He might not necessarily be drafted directly into the squad, with his workload and significance in ODIs, but India A tour would be an ideal place to start the transition for the pacer.

UMRAN MALIK

It's been more than a year since the J&K pacer turned heads around in Ranji Trophy. He was even a part of the India A squads that toured South Africa. However, since then, despite playing a few games for India, Umran has not been getting chances even in the IPL. While there might be things he has to work on or improve, almost every former player looks at him as an X-factor for a reason — his pace. For him to get better at what he does, he has to play more.

ABHIMANYU EASWARAN

The Bengal batter is easily one of the most consistent performers in red-ball cricket. Over 1200 runs last year with an average of 65 and five hundreds, sum up the kind of run-maker he is. He has been picked in the reserves and as a back-up opener in the recent past, and could potentially be back in the mix with the team looking at a transition.

OTHER OPTIONS

The list doesn't end here. Rajat Patidar, Sarfaraz Khan, Sanju Samson, Deepak Hooda, Avesh Khan, Tilak Varma and others are in the line as well. One way to test them is India A tours, which have not happened as much as they used to before the pandemic. While the BCCI said that they are in talks with ECB and NZC regarding the same, the sooner the A tours begin, the faster the transition could be. For, as was the case ten years ago, there is a clear sign of a cycle coming to an end, with the need for the next generation to come in.

RUTURAJ GAIKWAD

The Maharashtra batter might have moved up the ranks in white-ball cricket, thanks to the show in the IPL, but there is more to him. He came on the radar with the piles of runs made in red-ball cricket and age-group tournaments and has been doing the same at the senior level as well. Last season, he made 592 runs at an average of 53.81 in the red-ball matches that he played. He has the technique, temperament and experience to make it to the next level.

WFI's SGM notice out, polls on July 6

FIROZ MIRZA @ Chennai

THE much-awaited election of the executive committee of the Wrestling Federation of India (WFI) will be held on July 6. Former Jammu and Kashmir High Court Chief Justice Mahesh Mittal Kumar, who was appointed returning officer by the Indian Olympic Association (IOA) on Monday, issued a notice in this regard on Tuesday.

A clear 21-day notice is required to hold the special general meeting where elections can be conducted. As the notice was issued on Tuesday, the polls could have been held on July 4. However, the date was pushed by a couple of days as was reported by this daily.

The WFI's executive committee comprises a president and a senior vice-president apart from a secretary-general and a treasurer. Besides, it also consists of four vice presidents, two joint secretaries and five executive members.

The notice has been mailed to the affiliated state units. Each of these associations has to send the names of two representatives for preparing an electoral college by 5 pm on June 19. The electoral college will be prepared and circulated to affiliate members on June 22. The same will also be displayed on the IOA and WFI websites. As per the notification, the nomination forms have to be submitted to the returning officer in person from June 23 to 25 between 11 am to 5 pm. The returning officer will scrutinise the nominations on June 28 by 11 am and display the list of validly nominated candidates by 2 pm.

Withdrawal of candidatures can be done from June 28 to July 1 while the final list of contesting candidates will be prepared and displayed on July 2. "Polling (during Special General Body Meeting), if necessary will be held on 06/07/2023 (Friday) from 11.00 am to 1.20 pm. Counting of votes from 1.30 pm onwards on the same day. Declaration of results after counting of votes on 06/07/2023 (Friday) after counting of votes is over," read the notice.

The notice clearly says that nominations shall adhere to the stipulations of relevant provisions of the ratified constitution of the WFI and the model guidelines, 2011 issued by the Ministry of Youth Affairs, Government of India.

Ad hoc panel for VFI

The IOA on Tuesday announced the appointment of a four-member ad hoc committee for the Volleyball Federation of India (VFI). A fifth member — a retired judge of the Supreme Court/High Court — will be appointed later as a returning officer. An IOA statement says that the formation of the panel has been undertaken in consultation and recommendation of the International Volleyball Federation (FIVB).

Joshna & Co to the four as India blank Hong Kong in opener

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Chennai

INDIA began the fourth edition of the Squash World Cup on a positive note by defeating Hong Kong 4-0 in the tournament opener played at the all-glass court inside Express Avenue Mall in Chennai on Tuesday. In the last edition, that was also held in Chennai in 2011, with Egypt lifting the trophy.

Joshna Chinappa and Saurav Ghosal, who spearhead India's challenge came off with contrasting victories over their opponents. Joshna put her experience to effective use. She won the first game effortlessly with her court mobility and pulsating returns. In the second game, her opponent Heylie Fung played better than the previous one and thus there was a keen tussle, but Joshna played the big points better and took a 2-0 lead. In the final game, she upped the tempo and won he match 7-1, 7-5, 7-5.

Joshna Chinappa (R) in action against Heylie Fung on Tuesday | PRAVIKUMAR

Abhay Singh gave India the first win of the tournament. He was clinical and demolished his opponent in no time. Abhay beat Chung Long 7-2, 7-3, 7-6. "Pleased to start on a winning note. I prepared in earnest for this tournament and it came in handy," Abhay told this daily after his victory. The home support propelled him to give the best. "I played in a relaxed manner. Familiar conditions and experience of playing in this environment made my task easy. My opponent at times tested my skill, but he could not get the better off me due the conditions which were really hot," said Abhay. Sourav defeated To Yu Ling 5-7, 7-2, 7-5, 7-1, while Tanvi Khanna earned a hard fought 5-7, 6-7, 7-1, 7-4, 7-3 win over Tse Yee Lam Toby.

Results: Pool A: Egypt **bt** Australia 4-0; Malaysia bt Colombia 3-1; **Pool B:** Japan **bt** South Africa 3-1; India **bt** Hong Kong 4-0.

Top seeds Egypt post win

In the day's second tie, top seeds Egypt showed their class as they blanked Australia. Karim El Hammamy bounced back from a troubled start in the opening match, with the World No.42 taken by surprise by the intensity of Australia's Nicholas Calvert, who played the fast conditions better in the opener to take the first game 7-5. However, El Hammamy recovered quickly dominating the rest of the contest.

Returning Vikas embracing fresh test

ANMOL GURUNG @ Chennai

VIKAS Krishan has been a regular in the boxing circuit for over a decade or so. The battle-hardened pugilist from Haryana has endured nasty cuts, bruises along the way but that has not diminished his love for the sport. Far from it. Away from the amateur circuit since the 2020 Tokyo Olympics, Vikas is back in the Indian camp. At 31, what drives him to soldier on is his ambition to win that elusive Olympic medal (only big medal that is missing from his rich CV).

With that long-term objective in mind, Vikas was recently part of the selection trials which was held in Patiala. The former World Championships medallist aced the trials and is now in with a shout to get one step closer to his dream, something that he has been unable to fulfil in three attempts (2012, 2016 and 2020) so far. The trials were conducted for the inclusion of boxers in the national coaching camp in Olympic weight categories (51kg, 57kg, 63.5kg, 71kg, 80kg, 92kg, +92kg) recently at NSNIS, Patiala. Vikas is pleased to get past the first hurdle.

"It is satisfying. It had been quite a long time since I had a competitive fight. I haven't fought since the Olympics. If I had a couple of competitions before the trials, I could have done even better," Vikas, who competed in the 80kg category, noted. Being part of the national camp, which is likely to begin from June 16, means Vikas and the rest of the participants stand a chance to earn a spot in the team for the Asian Games, where Olympic quotas will be on offer. During the camp, the coaching staff will be assessing all the boxers closely and will be picking a team based on their output. The current BFI selection policy is new for Vikas, but he's not fussed about it. "It really doesn't matter much, be it trials or assessment camp. If you are good, you're bound to get the nod. The high performance director (HPD) is a former world champ and I think the selection process he has opted for is the correct one. Even with the trials, we were not getting the medals in the Olympics in the past...this change was necessary I guess. Let's see how this goes. The men's team won three medals during the World Championships, so he's already making a difference."

Just a year or so ago, Vikas had faced a tough bout off the ring. Soon after the Tokyo Olympics, he underwent surgery to fix his injured shoulder. The rehabilitation phase was a daily struggle as he was itching to return to the ring. Soon after recovering, the former Asian Games winner had gone to the USA late last year before returning to train with Jagdish Singh, a renowned coach who has nurtured many champion boxers. "I was with Ronald Simms (former JSW Sports coach). I had good sparring sessions with some strong boxers there. If you train with strong boxers, you are bound to get stronger as well. I feel strong," Vikas said, when asked about his USA stint.

Even though the USA trip was a valuable one, he had to rearrange his style of boxing once he returned to India. "I have been training under Jagdish Singh. I had acquired the habit of professional boxing so under Jagdish (sir), I had to recalibrate and get back to the amateur style of boxing. The next target is to win the Asian Games and qualify for the Olympics."

The other boxers who'll be competing for a ticket to Asiad are Tokyo Olympian Ashish Kumar, who was exempted from trials, and Services' Lakshay Chahar. Vikas likes his odds of going on to dominate and make the cut. Even though he's making a comeback, his confidence is not misplaced as he has predominantly been the No 1 choice in most major competitions while being part of the camp. "It is not about arrogance. I don't think I have any threat here," Vikas declared.

Mother, entrepreneur & squash pro: Lizelle story

GOMESH S @ Chennai

"DO you always have to mention that? That and my age," South Africa's Lizelle Muller, standing beside her brother Dewald van Niekerk, breaks into laughter at the Express Avenue mall in Chennai on the sidelines of the Squash World Cup 2023 on Tuesday. The Gqeberha-born was asked a question that she has become used to, perhaps even bored or tired of to an extent. The question — How is she juggling between squash, four kids and managing the business (Techni Electrical, a solar energy service company) she runs along with her husband Marius Muller at the age of 38?

Hailing from a squash-mad family, Lizelle started playing at the age of six but turned professional only in her mid thirties. In fact, she became the national champion at 37 in 2021. It is almost as if she had a midlife crisis much earlier, settled everything down at home before becoming a professional squash player. Now, her days often start with early morning sessions when the kids are sleeping, some days with her husband watching the kids. She then goes to work, comes back and helps them with homework in the afternoon before some evening training sessions.

On the field, Lizelle has achieved everything she has wanted to. She says as much. Ask her why she continues playing, you'll get a simple answer that you'd probably expect from the 10-year-old who fell in love with the sport for the first time. "I said last year that I was going to be done playing at this level, but always come back for more," she smiles. "It is like a drug, it is an addiction. I can't let go which I actually do need to let go at my age. I started later, but since I started later, my body can push and mentally I feel young," says Lizelle, standing next to Dewald who is 13 years younger to her.

Lizelle Muller | ASHWIN PRASATH

For Dewald, to watch his sister go professional when she did and the resolve with which she pushes herself has been an inspiration in itself. "I think there are a lot of players who get to 32-33, their body can't handle anymore. For her to be 38 and play the way she does is pretty good, especially with kids it is difficult. I have seen a lot of people who completely stop playing after having kids, but it's incredible," he says.

EXPRESS READ

Sindhu, Prannoy make pre-quarters

JAKARTA: PV Sindhu beat home favourite Gregoria Mariska Tunjung in the opening round of the Indonesia Open World Tour Super 1000 event, here. Sindhu took 38 minutes win 21-19, 21-15 and seal a pre-quarterfinal berth. Sindhu now faces third seed Tai Tzu Ying. It was a winning start for HS Prannoy too as he prevailed over Kenta Nishimoto of Japan 21-16, 21-14 in 50 minutes.

2023 BSL to begin on June 16

BENGALURU: The Bangalore Squash League (BSL) is all set to kick off its 16th edition on June 16, 2023. Last year, the Squash Racket Federation of Karnataka officially recognised the League which, this year, will be hosted at the esteemed Catholic Club with eight teams vying for the ultimate title. Each team will consist of eight players, including a substitute.

SET FOR ASHES

England's style of play will remain same for any bowling attack: Collingwood

SIDDANTH NAIR @ Chennai

THE World Test Championship is over, but not the summer of Test cricket for Australia. The Ashes — the age old rivalry between Australia and England — gets underway with the first Test at Edgbaston on Friday. While the new England, with Bazball to their fore, will be looking to get the urn back, Pat Cummins will be keen not to let go of what he and his teammates had won at home a couple of years ago.

The visitors came close to winning The Ashes for the first time since 2001 last time around under Tim Paine, but let go off the advantage in the fifth Test to draw the series in 2-2. His successor Cummins, who started his stint as Test captain with an Ashes win at home, has come a long way in the last couple of years.

At the height of his powers, he will be taking on Ben Stokes, who too, has been on a revival journey himself since taking over as Test captain of England. In essence, the next few weeks will be all about the two captains — albeit following different kinds of approach on the field — trying to outdo one another.

Speaking ahead of the series, former England captain Paul Collingwood said that Australia will be coming into The Ashes with some extra confidence, thanks to the WTC triumph. However, this England team is nothing like the one the visitors dominated back in 2019. The new word surrounding Test cricket in England is 'entertainment' with captain Stokes and coach Brendon McCullum adapting an attacking style of cricket. At a time where there is more emphasis being laid on domestic T20 leagues around the world, Collingwood noted that the concept of 'Bazball' was imperative for the "survival of Test cricket". "The vision of this team is to make Test cricket exciting again, turn it into a game that the whole world wants to watch," he said in a select media interaction on Tuesday.

England captain Ben Stokes (right) & head coach Brendon McCullum | AFP

While there are question marks over whether the strategy will work against the Australian bowling attack, Collingwood was clear that England would continue to play the same way. "This is our brand of cricket. England cricket has gone from worrying about consistency and averages to focusing on the impact that players have in a game. Regardless of whether it's the Ashes or not, our style of play is going to remain the same."

The series will also see the return of Moeen Ali, coming back from retirement in the longest format, owing to the team management's request as a replacement for injured Jack Leach. Collingwood was excited to see him return, and believed he's the perfect mould for the brand of cricket they are playing. "He's a great guy, and his abilities and skills as an all-rounder are exceptional, he will definitely be a welcome addition to this England side," he said.

Meanwhile, on the other side of the aisle, Collingwood feels Lyon should not be taken lightly. "It will not just be Lyon. Cummins and Scott Boland have been bowling beautifully. The in-form Travis Head along with Steve Smith and Marnus Labuschagne both of who have had success in England could pose problems to the Stokes-led side. One thing that is guaranteed is that these two teams are going to put an absolute show," Collingwood signed off.

The proliferation of hate and lies on digital platforms and the threat that artificial intelligence can become an uncontrolled "monster" demands coordinated global action the UN chief said on Monday.

Failure to end use of fossil fuels will be a "death sentence" to millions worldwide, Swedish activist Greta Thunberg warned on Tuesday, urging politicians to take more ambitious action

UK Covid inquiry puts govt under the microscope

The panel aims to know whether the terrible consequences could have been avoided

HEALTH

LONDON: A mammoth three-year public inquiry into the UK government's handling of the response to Covid-19 opened on Tuesday by asking if some suffering and death could have been avoided with better planning—and whether Britain's complex, protracted exit from the European Union distracted authorities from preparing for potential threats.

Lawyer Hugo Keith, who is counsel to the inquiry, said the coronavirus pandemic had brought "death and illness on an unprecedented scale" in modern Britain. He said that Covid-19 had been recorded as a cause of death for 226,977 people in the UK.

"The key issue is whether that impact was inevitable," Keith said. "Were those terrible consequences inexorable, or were they avoidable or capable of mitigation?"

A group of people who lost relatives to Covid-19 held pictures of their loved one outside the inquiry venue.

Retired judge Heather Hallett, who is leading the inquiry, praised the families' "dignified vigil." Britain's pandemic death toll is one of the highest in Europe, and the decisions of then Prime Minister Boris Johnson's government have been endlessly debated. Johnson agreed in late 2021 to hold an inquiry after pressure from bereaved families.

The inquiry is due to hold hearings until 2026. Senior scientists and officials including Johnson are expected to appear as witnesses. Hallett, who has the power to summon evidence and question witnesses under oath, is currently in a legal battle with the government over her request to see an unedited trove of notebooks, diaries and WhatsApp messages between Johnson and other officials.

Hallett says she will release findings after each section, rather than waiting until hearings conclude.

Keith said the first section would look at whether British planning relied too heavily on the mistaken assumption a future pandemic would resemble influenza. He said that at the start of the pandemic in March 2020, the government had said that "the UK was well prepared to respond in a way that offered substantial protection to the public." "Even at this stage, before hearing the evidence, it is apparent that we might not have been very well prepared at all," he said.

Keith also said planning for Britain's exit from the EU, which consumed government energies for years after voters backed Brexit in a 2016 referendum, distracted resources to prepare for potential pandemics.

New laws

During the Third Reich, German Jews were ordered to bring their personal silver objects to pawn shops across the Reich—one of many laws created to humiliate, punish and exclude Jews

RETURNING SLIVER OBJECTS

Matthias Weniger, who is a curator at the Munich museum and oversees its restitution efforts, has made it his mission to return as many of the silver objects as possible to the descendants of the original owners

These silver objects handed in at the pawn shops are often the only material things that remain from an existence wiped out in the Holocaust – Matthias Weniger

MAKING THEIR WAY ACROSS THE WORLD

The majority of descendants live in the United States and Israel, but the museum has already or is in the process of returning silver pieces to France, the United Kingdom, Australia and Mexico

EXFILE • HISTORY

As a stolen silver sleuth, German curator returns heirlooms Jewish families lost in the Holocaust

The Nazis stole 111 silver objects from Jews during the Third Reich in 1939. These object are kept at the Bavarian National Museum

MELTED INTO 135 TONS OF SILVER

Thousands of the pieces taken from the Jews were melted into around ***135 tons of silver, and used to help Germany's war efforts***

But several museums ended up with hundreds of silver pieces such as candlesticks used to light candles on the eve of Shabbat, Kiddush cups to bless the wine, silver spoons and cake servers

PROCESS OF REPATRIATION

First, he searches for the identity of the original owners. The little yellowed paper stickers on some of the pieces often help his efforts

DELVING INTO DATABASES

Once Weniger discovers the names of the original owners, he starts looking up Jewish obituary and genealogy databases, in hopes that direct descendants or more distant relatives may have posted their names online

TRYING TO REPATRIATE THE ITEMS

Some of the items were returned to Holocaust survivors in the 1950s and 1960s, if they came forward and actively tried to retrieve their stolen possessions

OWNERS NOT FOUND

But many former owners were murdered in the Holocaust or, if they succeeded to flee from the Nazis, had ended up in far-flung corners of the globe

"Two thirds of the last owners did not survive the Shoah," Weniger said

50 OBJECTS

RETURNED 50 OBJECTS TO FAMILY MEMBERS

Despite these odds, and with a combination of thorough detective work, dedication and deep knowledge of history, Weniger has so far managed to return about 50 objects to the family members and relatives of the original owners

AN AMBITIOUS AIM

He's convinced that he may be able to return almost all remaining objects by the end of this year

CHIKUNGUNYA VAX TRIAL YIELDS RESULTS

HEALTH

French-Austrian drugmaker Valneva's vaccine candidate against chikungunya, a mosquito-borne virus that causes occasional outbreaks across the world, showed promising results in a large new trial, a study said on Tuesday. While the results were hailed as good news in the fight against chikungunya, the trial was carried out on people in the United States, where the virus is extremely rare, with experts saying more research was needed. There are currently no vaccines or treatments available for the virus, which causes fever and sometimes debilitating joint pain, though it is rarely fatal. The new randomised, placebo-controlled phase three trial aimed to find out how often the live-attenuated vaccine, which uses a weakened form of virus, produced an immune response. Out of a subgroup of 266 people who received the vaccine, 263—99%—developed antibodies that could neutralise the chikungunya virus.

BRUHAT BENGALURU MAHANAGARA PALIKE
Office of Deputy Conservator of Forests,
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N.R. Square, Bangalore-02

No.DCF/Tender/PR/02/2023-24 Date:12.06.2023

CORRIGENDUM

Short term tender notification No: DCF/Tender/PR/02/2023-24 Date:07.06.2023 published in this News paper on 08.06.2023 by DCF Bangalore, Following terms & conditions are included in the above tender notification.

1. Tree / Branches fallen due to heavy rain or emergency problems are to be collected with leaves, firewood, Blocks etc & transported to the respective Depot.
2. Only fallen trees and tree branches should be transported. Healthy trees/branches should not be cut / removed without permission.
3. This work is an emergency work and only the fallen trees / twigs, saplings, sticks and leaves should be cleared as mentioned in the notification. This work is not a systematic tree management work.
4. This work will be done only during heavy rains of monsoon season.

All other terms & conditions remain the same.

Sd/-
Deputy Conservator of Forest, BBMP.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general Public that my Client has intend to purchase the Schedule property from its present owners **Mr. SURESH KUMAR V**, aged about 55 years, Son of Late. B.Varadaraj, **Aadhar Card No: 5088 6375 9093**, and **Mr. V JAI KUMAR**, aged about 66 years, Son of Late. B.Varadaraj, **Aadhar Card No: 2150 5167 5302**, Both are Jointly Residing at No. 19/1, 3rd Cross, Near Garuda Show Room, Lalbagh Road, Bangalore-560027, who have jointly acquired the same from their mother Late Saraswathi wife of Late B.Varadaraj, vide under **Will dated: 05-03-1994**, Registered as Document **No. 373/1993-94**, Book-III, Volume No. 94, Pages 43-46, Registered in the office of the Sub Registrar Basawangudi, Bangalore.

Any Person having or claiming any manner of right, title, claim, lien or interest in the Schedule Property may intimates the same in writing to the undersigned along with the documentary evidence in support of their claim **within 10 days** from the date of this publication, failing which my client **Mr. MOHAMMED ISMAIL SAIT** will be advised to proceed with the conveyance as if no valid claims are subsisting against the Schedule Property.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of immovable Property Residential Premises bearing No. Old No. 19/1, New BBMP Katha No. 36, PID No. 48-36-36, BBMP Ward No. 118, ward Name Sudhamnagar, Situated at 3rd 'C' Cross, Lalbagh Road, Bengaluru-560027, Measuring East to West : 40 Feet, and North to South : 15 Feet, Totally Measuring: 600 Square Feet, Bounded on: **East by:** Vacant Site of Private Property, **West by:** 20 feet Road, **North by:** Guruswamy's and **South by:** Kenchappa's House, along with residential House constructed thereon.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

It is represented to the undersigned by **Akarsha Realty Private Limited**, No.2/4, Langford Garden, Richmond Road, Bangalore-560025, Represented by its director Sri.B.M.Karunesh, that the below mentioned original title deed/document pertaining to the converted land bearing Survey No.62/1(Old No.62) measuring 2 acre 05 guntas situated at Gunjuru Village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore District have been lost/misplaced.

(i) Sale Deed dated 30.10.2014, executed by Sri.Kariyanna S/o Late Kariyanna in favour of Akarsha Reality Private Limited, registered vide document No.6122/2014-15 of BookI, and stored in CD No.125, in the office of the Sub- Registrar, Bangalore Indiranagar, Bangalore.

(ii) Sale Agreement dated 18.10.2007, executed by Mrs. Rathnamma W/o Late Rajappa in favour of Mr. G R Srinivas Reddy S/o. of Mr.G.A.Ramaswamy Reddy, registered as Document No.VRT-1-03731-2007-08 stored in CD No.VRTD13, in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Varthur, Bangalore.

(iii) General Power Of Attorney dated 18.10.2007 executed by i)Mrs.Rathnamma W/o Late Mr.Rajappa, in favour of Mr.G.M.Manjunath S/o of Mr.Muniyappa registered as Document No.207/2008-09, of Book IV in the office of the Senior Sub Registrar, Varthur, Bangalore.

It is further represented that neither the company nor their predecessors in title have mortgaged, created lien or encumbered the Property in any manner. If any person/S is in possession of the aforesaid original title Deeds, She/he/they shall return the same to the undersigned.

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E-auction of machineries are being held on "AS IS WHERE IS BASIS","AS IS WHAT IS BASIS" and "WHATEVER THERE IS BASIS" and the auction will be conducted "ONLINE". The auction will be conducted through **https://www.mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/ibapi/index.jsp.**
E-auction tender document containing online Auction bid application.
For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the links provided by the Secured Creditor, State Bank of India, Stressed Assets Recovery Branch, J. C. Road, Bengaluru, represented by its Authorised Officer, i.e.,
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The Reserve Price, Earnest Money Deposit (EMD), Bid increment amount and time of e-auction and last date for submission of EMD along with KYC documents for movable property to be sold will be as under:
Tender No: SBI/SARB/6058/2023-24/894

Property No.	Reserve Price (Below which the property will not be sold)	Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	Bid increment Amount	Time of e-Auction of Property	Last date for submission of EMD along with KYC documents
1	Rs.11,00,000/-	Rs.1,10,000/-	Rs.11,000/-	17.07.2023 From 11.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m	16.07.2023 up to 4.00 p.m.

Date: 12.06.2023
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/- Chief Manager, State Bank of India,
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IFT No. KMU/ PUR/ E-PROCUREMENT/ 1538 /2023-24 **Date: 12.06.2023**

**** E-PROCUREMENT SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION ****

The Kolar Milk Union Limited, Kolar invites tenders from eligible Tenderers for the supply of the following materials.

#	Description of Material	Qty (In No's)
	Supply of 3 Ply Corrugated Boxes to pack following UHT Good Life variants on Half Yearly Rate Contract Basis to Mega Dairy, Chikkaballapur	
01	160 ml Flavoured Milk Brik Packs without Partitions Single Colour Printing.	75,000
02	500 ml Toned / Gold / Slim / Smart / Vijayavajra / Suraksha Milk Brik Packs without Partitions Single Colour Printing	7,00,000
03	1000 ml Toned / Gold / Slim / Smart / Vijayavajra / Suraksha Milk Brik Packs without Partitions Single Colour Printing	9,00,000
04	1000 ml Customised Coffe Day Toned Milk Slim Brik Packs without Partitions 3 Colour Printing	2,50,000
05	1000 ml Cow Milk HELICAP Brik Packs with Partitions Single Colour Printing	50,000
	Supply of 3 Ply Corrugated Boxes to pack following Flexi Milk Pack variants on Half Yearly Rate Contract Basis to Mega Dairy, Chikkaballapur	
01	160 ml Flexi Double Toned Milk Packs with Partitions Single Colour Printing	6,00,000
02	450 ml Flexi Double Toned Milk Packs with Partitions Single Colour Printing	1,00,000
03	500 ml Flexi Double Toned Milk Packs with Partitions Single Colour Printing	4,00,000

IFT No. KMU/ PUR/ E-PROCUREMENT/ 1539/2023-24 Date: 12.06.2023

Sl.No.	Description of Material	Qty
01	Supply of South African Tall Maize[SAT] Fodder seeds to CHIMUL	1300 Quintals
02	Supply of SSG Multicut Jowar Fodder seeds to CHIMUL	1000 Quintal

Access to E-tender Documents : 12.06.2023 to 26.06.2023 05.30 PM
Last date for submission : on or before 26.06.2023 05.30 PM
Date of opening of Tech. Tender : 28.06.2023, 11.00 AM onwards
Tender documents may be downloaded from e-procurement **website https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/- M.D.KOMUL

SALE NOTICE UNDER IBC, 2016
M/s. EASUN REYROLLE LIMITED (In Liquidation)
Reg. Off. : Temple Tower, 6th Floor No.672 (Old No.476), Anna Salai, Nandanam, Chennai, Tamilnadu - 600 035
Liquidator Office : SPP & Co., No.27/9, Nivedh Vikas, Pankaja Mill Road, Puliyakulam, Coimbatore - 641 045.

E- Auction under Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016
Date and Time of Auction : Friday, 30th June 2023 at 11.00 AM to 1.30 PM
(With unlimited extension of 5 minutes each)

Sale of assets of **M/s. Easun Reyrolle Limited (In Liquidation)** forming part of Liquidation Estate by the Liquidator, appointed by the Hon'ble National Company Law Tribunal, Chennai bench vide order no: IA/887 /CHE/2021 in IBA/1045 & 1169/2019 dated 17th February, 2022. The sale will be done by the undersigned through the e-auction platform https://ncltauction.auctiontiger.net

Asset Description	Reserve Price (in Rs.)	EMD Amount & Bid Application Submission	Bid Increment Amount
LOT 1 : Factory land & building and Plant & Machinery situated at Harohalli: Survey No: 56(P), 57(P), 59(P), 60(P), 61(P), 62(P), 63(P), No: 147(p),148(p), Harohalli Industrial area – Phase 2, Madamaranahalli Village, Harohalli Hobli, Kanakapura Taluk, Ramanagaram District, Karnataka measuring 16.60 acres [under KIADB Lease] **[E-Auction time for Lot 1– 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM]**	Rs.30,60,00,000	3,06,00,000/- on or before 28th June, 2023	Rs. 5,00,000
LOT 2 : Office space at temple tower : Transfer of 969 years lease of office space of 1000 Sq. ft @ 6th Floor along with the piece of land 131 Sq. ft situated at E-1,Temple Tower, Old door No.35/5, New No.476 Anna Salai, Nandanam, Chennai - 600035. **[E-Auction time for Lot 2 – 12:30 PM to 1:30 PM]**	Rs.69,30,000	6,93,000/- on or before 28th June, 2023	Rs. 1,00,000

Date of Inspection : 17th / 24th / 28th June, 2023 (from 10.00 AM to 1:00 PM) with prior intimation to the Liquidator.
Terms and Condition of the sale is as under:
1. E-Auction will be conducted on "AS IS WHERE IS", "AS IS WHAT IS" AND "WHATEVER IS BASIS" as such sale is without any kind of warranties and indemnities through approved service provider M/s E-Procurement Technologies Ltd. (https://ncltauction.auctiontiger.net)
2. The auction comprises of two lots and Bids shall be submitted to Liquidator (online or hard copy) in the format prescribed. The bid form along with detailed terms & conditions of complete E-Auction process can be downloaded from the website of https://ncltauction.auctiontiger.net

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Date : 13.06.2023

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DEMAND NOTICE

UNDER SUB SECTION (2) OF SECTION 13 OF THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS & ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002 (HEREINAFTER CALLED ACT)

At your request, State Bank of India through its **Race Course Road Branch, Bengaluru** has extended credit facility to below mentioned borrowers/ Guarantor by way of financial assistance against asset creating security interest in favour of the Bank. The relevant particulars of the said credit facility and the security agreement/ documents executed by the borrowers/ guarantor are furnished in the demand notice dated **23.05.2023**. The said financial assistance is also secured by way of deposit of title deeds creating security interest in favour of the Bank. The relevant particulars of the secured asset are specifically furnished hereunder. As the operation and conduct of the financial assistance/ credit facility has become irregular, the debts have been classified as Non-Performing Asset on **14.05.2023** in accordance with the directives/ guidelines issued by Reserve Bank of India consequent to the default committed by the borrowers/ guarantor in repayment of the principal debt and interest thereon. As the demand notice dated **23.05.2023** sent by register AD calling upon you, was un-served/not acknowledged, this publication is now issued. The account has been transferred from Race Course Road Branch, Bengaluru to Retail Assets Central Processing Centre (RACPC), St.Marks Road, Bengaluru for administrative reasons and hence the undersigned is competent to issue this publication.

A/c No: ETL: 33291987203
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Schedule of Property Mortgaged: Sale Deed Regd Doc.No.8975/1998-99, Bangalore.
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WEDNESDAY

DAY'S DIARY

Vostok 5 launched

The Soviet Union launched Vostok 5, a joint mission with Vostok 6, on this day in 2000. The capsule was piloted by Cosmonaut Valery Bykovsky

RETURN TO EARTH

Vostok 5 was originally intended for eight days, but the capsule returned to Earth just after 5 due to a lower then intended orbit and solar flare activity

VOSTOKS CONNECT

Two days later Lt. Valentina V Tereshkova, the first spacewoman, followed in Vostok 6. On its first orbit, Vostok 6 came within 5 km of Vostok 5 and established contact

THE ROCKET

The Vostok-K was a carrier rocket used for thirteen launches between 1960 and 1964, made its maiden flight on December 22, 1960

Check out what's happening in the city

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CITY READ

8th Edition of German Spotlight on June 17

Endless View, directed by Anna Thomas, is the third dramatised reading in the eighth edition of German Spotlight. German Spotlight, curated by Sandbox Collective, aims to popularise contemporary German theatre in translation by bringing together theatremakers and aficionados to offer dramatised, rehearsed readings for local audiences. This year's German Spotlight features dramatised readings of four of German playwright Theresia Walser's works. The reading will take place on June 17, 6.30pm at Goethe-Institut/Max Mueller Bhavan in Indiranagar.

Ayurvedic workshop on June 16

Dr Alka Vijayan, a gynaecology, thyroid, and gut health expert, is conducting a session, 'Abhyanga Amidst City Life' on Friday, June 16, from 3pm to 6pm at The Courtyard in Shanti Nagar. Dr Vijayan has a large following on social media and has been featured in the health columns for her thoughts on inflammatory foods, thyroid health, gut resetting, and other topics. Dr. Vijayan focuses on empowering her patients to get a fundamental grasp of Ayurveda in order to correct their internal digestive system.

Winning note

Six CA team won the title in Sieve Water Cup Cricket under-12 category held at Gopalan National School Bangalore Avalahalli ground. MPCA team became the runner-up.

ABISHEK AMBAREESH WORE A SILVER-GREY SHERWANI FOR HIS SANGEET CEREMONY. FASHION DESIGNERS AND STYLISTS IN BENGALURU BELIEVE IT IS PART OF A LARGER TREND IN FASHION WHERE MEN ARE OPTING TO WEAR LOUD CLOTHES

LOOK OF THE TIMES

Abishek Ambareesh and Aviva Bidapa during their sangeet

TUNIR BISWAS

BENGALURU social media is filled with posts about Abishek Ambareesh and Aviva Bidapa's sangeet ceremony, held recently. In every social media app's infinite scroll, you will find glimpses of the star-studded event in abundance. Among the many 'headlines' the event made includes Abishek's attire. He donned a silver-grey sherwani with a metallic silver print in the final event celebrating his and Bidapa's wedding union.

City-based fashion designer Manoviraj Khosla, who designed the coveted sherwani, says, "It was done in metallic silver print on a grey-knit fabric, which was the base. It was then matched with silver grey velvet pants and maroon crushed velvet shoes with a silver foil print on it."

Khosla believes that this particular attire is part of a trend in men's fashions especially with jackets, bandhgalas and sherwanis. "Basically, jackets get extended into bandhgalas, which get extended into sherwanis. So, you can change the silhouette around but we are playing around with the same mediums. Of late, a lot of dressy jackets are having a lot of embroideries. This trend originally started with sherwanis and bandhgalas, but now it has trickled down to single-breasted jackets. Presently, we are doing a lot of work with embroidered and embellished jackets, even jackets that have denim with wool or even leather," he shares, adding that men are now more privy to wear clothes that are loud.

Khosla mentions men are now also opting to wear more loose-fitted attires.

Agreeing with him is fashion designer Bassam Osman, who says, "Men are now definitely wearing more loose-fitted clothes. You will notice men wearing very oversized T-shirts as well. But yes, they are now preferring broader lapels and a little more old-school fits. Men have even started wearing trousers with cleats now."

Anusha Ramesh, a stylist working in the city, has noticed both of these trends and believes all men can try them in some particular ways.

"There has been a trend of men wearing loud clothes right now. A few effortless ways to style these garments would be to bring balance, like wearing a loud-coloured jacket that can be paired with neutral colours like white or black. You can also go the other way and match your loud top with a matching yet loud bottom, but you should accessorise minimally and wear subtle jewellery. Coming to loose-fitted clothes, one of the most attractive things about an oversized jacket is its comfort and how effortlessly stylish they are. These clothes generally just hang off your body frame without constricting movement," she says.

Priyansh Vijayvargiya, a working professional in the city, styles himself according to both these trends.

"I have been wearing oversized clothes for a while, especially T-shirts. I have noticed them getting more popular as you find a lot more fashionable options online now. And when I wear formal or semi-formal clothes, I usually opt for more vibrant attires or ones with more colour and flare, especially if they are Indian clothes," he concludes.

KNOW YOUR CITY

Arun Prasad, city-based history researcher, unravels interesting facts about Bengaluru in this weekly quiz series. So it's time for you to find out how familiar you are with the city, beyond its heritage buildings, IT parks and the pub culture.

HE QUIZ WILL BE PUBLISHED EVERY WEDNESDAY

Send answers to **bengalurucityexpress@gmail.com** with the subject line **'Know Your City Quiz'**

Correct answers and names of first three respondents with right answers will be featured in *CE*.

1. Begur is much older than Bengaluru and the area has a historical connect with the city. One of the earliest evidences of Bengaluru's existence was found on a 9th century inscription at Panchalingeswara temple premises located in the area. The 890 AD inscription mentions a battle fought in 'Bengaluru' which resulted in the death of Buttanasetty, son of Nagattara. The area was ruled by the Gangas in the 9th century and later by the Cholas in the 10th century. Which part of Bengaluru is Begur located. North or South?

2. Avathi, a nondescript village located about 45km north of Bengaluru too has a bygone connect with the city. The area, a prominent territory during the Vijayanagara times was once ruled by Ranabhaire Gowda, the ancestors of Kempegowda who founded Bengaluru. Ranabhaire Gowda who migrated from Kancheevaram in Tamil Nadu got settled in Avathi belonged to the Morasu Vokkaliga family. In which district is Avathi located. Chikkaballapur or Bangalore rural?

3. Magadi, a historic town located about 40 km south of Bengaluru too has a connect with the founders of the city. Immadi Kempegowda (Kempegowda II) made Magadi the capital of his territories after losing Bengaluru in a fierce battle with the Bijapur Sultanate in 1638. The town was under Kempegowda's possession till it was captured by the Mysore rulers in 1728. Name the historic hill, today a popular trekking spot located near Magadi.

'Due to popular demand, we put the film on the big screen'

With his recent film, *Sirf Ek Bandaa Kaafi Hai*, taking the unusual route from OTT to theatres, actor Manoj Bajpayee takes the time out to revisit his career, having completed 30 years in cinema

KARTIK BHARDWAJ

WE have asked this before, but is this the best version of Manoj Bajpayee yet? His ringed fingers trembled as the anxious, eldest son Arun Batra in Rahul V Chittela's family drama, *Gulmohar* (which got an OTT release in March). Two months later, he thumped a desk — as if stamping his mark of quality — after making a final argument as the lawyer PC Solanki in the power-packed legal thriller, *Sirf Ek Bandaa Kaafi Hai*. The stark contrast between the roles doesn't come as a surprise. Bajpayee has always been a man of range. After breaking out in 1998 as the rugged, hot-headed gangster Bhiku Mhatre in Ram Gopal Varma's *Satya*, he followed it up the next year with the role of a mousy, pestering visitor in the psychological thriller *Kaun?* It has been 30 years since Bajpayee's debut in *Bandit Queen (1994)*. Since then, there have been multiple laudable performances, commercial failures and struggles — bothphysical and mental — but the 52-year-old actor refuses to sit back and relax unless of course, a role demands it.

Here's Bajpayee on the theatrical release of *Bandaa...*, his iconic roles over the years and some old stories, including conversations he had with a real-life dacoit on the sets of his first film. Excerpts:

Sirf Ek Bandaa Kaafi Hai might be the only film taking a reverse route of OTT to theatres. Was this always the plan?

To be honest, I wanted the film to be released in theatres, but it wasn't an opinion shared by many. I had five to six meetings with producer Vinod Bhanushali and Zee Studios' executives but they were clear that *Bandaa...* should go directly to ZEE5. They showed me data, surveys, and all that. But somewhere in the course of these meetings, they agreed that if it did well, they would consider a theatrical release. After it premiered on OTT, people flocked to social media to express anger that the film didn't release in theatres. Due to this demand, I spoke to the people at ZEE5 and we decided to put the film on the big screen. There was, however, a problem. Multiplexes have a rule — which we were not aware of — that they would not screen a film which has already premiered on OTT. That is why we had to release *Bandaa...* in select single-screen theatres.

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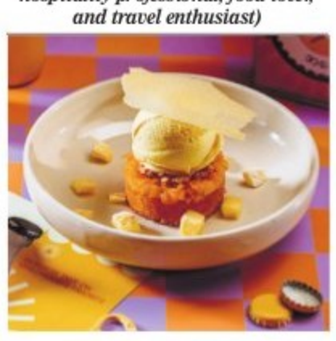
Recent restaurant openings have introduced international flavours to the city, from the sizzle of Turkish kebabs to Burmese cuisine

WORLD ON A PLATE

ASLAM GAFOOR

(The writer is a Bengaluru-based hospitality professional, food lover, and travel enthusiast)



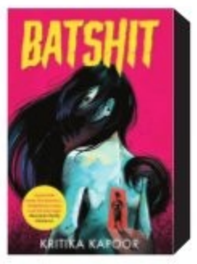
BENGALURU'S culinary landscape is a dynamic tapestry that never ceases to amaze food enthusiasts. Recent restaurant openings have introduced a range of international flavours to the city's dining scene, offering everything from the sizzle of Turkish kebabs to European cuisine and exotic Burmese flavours.

One such newcomer, Öz by Kebapçi, located at UB City, presents a menu that showcases the best of modern Turkish cuisine, drawing inspiration from Türkiye and its neighbouring regions. Designed by Istanbul-based interior designer Mert Duyal, the restaurant immerses guests in traditional Turkish culture with its ornate decor, handwoven carpets, lamps, and tableware. The menu offers an authentic selection of mouthwatering delights, including kebabs, mezzes, pide, baklava, and Turkish tea. Founder Aasim Shah is committed to providing an exceptional Öz experience, sourcing the finest spices and ingredients and creating an engaging atmosphere that transports diners to the heart of Türkiye. Must-try dishes include the flavourful antep kebap, manti with spinach or meat, kavurma pilaf, lokum mutton, dolma, lokum paneer, and the signature dish, Ali nazlik, featuring minced meat kebap and labneh with aubergine sauce.

Meanwhile, Burma Burma has expanded its presence in the city, opening its second outlet at Forum Rex Walk on Brigade Road. Co-founders Chirag Chhajer and Ankit Gupta go beyond the popular khow suey, aiming to introduce Bengaluru to a diverse range of flavours inspired by the streets and homes of Myanmar. Designed by Mini Bhatt Designs, the vibrant decor pays tribute to the allure of Burma's bygone era and the green cover of our Garden City. By combining authentic recipes with fresh ingredients, Burma Burma's vegetarian menu offers a wide variety of delicacies that capture the essence of this lesser-explored country. The new small plates menu features dishes like crunchy shiitake fingers and taro and tempeh pan-seared bao, and for heartier options, the mandalay noodle bowl and smoked chilli rice bowl are sure to satisfy. Indulge your sweet tooth with delightful desserts such as saffron and samuza cheesecake, street style Burmese falooda, and rangoon baked milk. Artisanal ice creams evoking nostalgic flavours like pineapple energee, dark chocolate and olive oil, avocado and honey, honeycomb and sweetcorn, and durian are also available. The beverage program includes refreshing mocktails, bubble tea, and a diverse selection of tea blends sourced from Burmese tea estates. The restaurant also offers a six-course set menu for a well-balanced dining experience.

Renowned chef Viraf Patel, known for Mumbai's Café Zoe, Salt Water Café, Table, and Neuma, has teamed up with co-founder Akshay Luthria to make a mark on Bengaluru's food scene. Their latest venture, Soley, is a charming European bistro tucked away in Street 1522, Sarjapur. Taking cues from Milan and Rome, Soley blends tradition with a contemporary twist, offering an array of Italian and European flavours. The restaurant's vibrant decor, featuring sunny yellow and deep amber tones, adds to its lively ambience. With an extensive menu of small plates, bar bites, mains, and sandwiches, Soley showcases traditional Italian dishes like aglio e olio and spaghetti with grilled chicken and tomato cream sauce. However, the gastronomic journey doesn't stop there. Indulge in delectable options such as lemon risotto with chickpea and cilantro salad, grilled chicken thighs with creamy mash and roasted vegetables, and seared fish with chilli spinach, poppy seed, and caper butter.

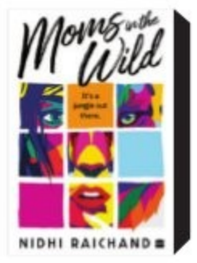
BOOK NOOK



Batshit

By Kritika Kapoor

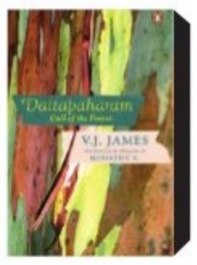
This novel is equal parts social satire, horror comedy, and psychological thriller with teases of romance and murder mystery thrown in for good measure.



Moms in the Wild

By Nidhi Raichand

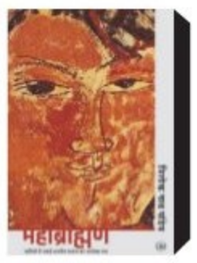
This book is a dark, funny and razor-sharp story about the competitive world of social media and journalism, about first jobs and fallen idols, friendships and the rollercoaster that is motherhood.



Dattapaharam: Call of the Forest

By VJ James, translated by Ministhy S

A powerful novel for our anthropocentric age, written by one of the most exciting voices to emerge from the Indian subcontinent.



Mahabrahman

By Trilok Nath Pandey

A unique interpretation of India's caste network, the story sheds light on the irony and tragedies of the society by highlighting many aspects of the society that have remained untouched so far.

WHAT WHEN WHY WHERE

Punjabi Dhaba

Take in the lively atmosphere of Feast, where the dhaba-style setting creates the ideal backdrop for an exceptional dining experience.

WHEN: June 16, 12pm
WHERE: Feast, Sheraton Grand, Whitefield
CALL: 95139 82019

PARTY NIGHT

Party hard to at this upbeat Bollywood ladies' night. Free beverages for women till 11pm.
WHEN: June 14, 8pm **WHERE:** Drava, 3rd floor, Vijay Jatti Building **DETAILS:** insider.in

Docu-Play

The documentary play *Annana Nenapu* illustrates the significance of Kuvempu's role in Kannada cultural history.
WHEN: June 18, 7pm
WHERE: KH Kalasoudha, Hanumanthanagar
CALL: 98866 04420

New flavours

Discover the charm of traditional Indian herbs and savour a blend of classic Indian-flavoured cocktails.
WHEN: June 14, 8pm
WHERE: Raahi, Bengaluru
CALL: 8970070534

Get Your Hands Dirty

Engage in a creative pottery workshop and unleash your pottery skills.
WHEN: June 14, 12pm
WHERE: Small World, Koramangala 5th Block
DETAILS: bookmyshow.com

Shop till you drop

At this flea market, explore stalls with wide collection of apparels, jewellery, artwork, and handicrafts.
WHEN: June 14, 11am
WHERE: 7th Floor, World Trade Center, Rajajinagar
CALL: 80890 99915

ETHNIC EVENT

The cultural event hosted by the Prabhat Arts International, where Surabhi, a disciple of Shakuntala R Prabhat, will be performing a classical dance piece.
WHEN: June 14, 6.30pm
WHERE: JSS Auditorium, Jayanagar **CALL:** 99868 81281

LANGUAGE OF ART

The artworks contributed by the participants of the National Level Art Competition 2023 are on display at Karnataka Chitrakala Parishath | SHASHIDHAR BY RAPPA

QUICK FIX

FINGER MILLET CHIMILI

Contributed by **Usha Susan,** Chennai

INGREDIENTS

- **Ragi flour:** 2 cups
- **Fried groundnut:** 1 cup
- **Fried sesame seeds:** 1/2 cup
- **Salt:** a pinch
- **Jaggery:** 1 cup
- **Ghee:** 2-3 tbsp

METHOD

- In a bowl, add ragi flour, a pinch of salt, and knead a smooth dough.
- Make tiny balls from the dough, and flatten them like chapatis with the help of a rolling pin.
- Now put the ragi chapati on the pan and cook from both sides. After which cut them into tiny pieces.
- Grind fried groundnut, jaggery, fried sesame seeds, and tiny pieces of ragi chapati coarsely.
- Lastly, grease your palms with ghee, make the powdered mix into a ladoo.

What's cooking in your kitchen?

We are hungry for recipes with minimum ingredients and maximum flavours. Share your quick-fix with us, along with step-by-step photos, at bengalurucityexpress@gmail.com

FIT BIT

ANJANEYASANA TWIST ARMS SPREAD OUT

This is a variation with the base pose as Anjaneyasana (Low Lunge Pose). The creative variation of the twist in this pose, challenges the range of motion of the torso while keeping the shoulders and hips stable.

STEPS

- After releasing from Utkatasana, stand straight and take a few breaths.
- Inhale and place the left foot far behind you while increasing the distance between the feet. Keep the right foot firm on the floor.
- Inhale, bend the body downwards and exhale. Place the left knee on the floor behind you and stretch the arms out completely at shoulder distance, while turning the shoulders and chest towards the right side.
- In this pose, exhale completely with the twist. Remain here for about four breaths. Release to go into the pose with the other side.
- Repeat this for better results and stay longer to get maximum benefit. Foot and thighs alignment along with the chest and shoulders are to be kept in mind in this pose.

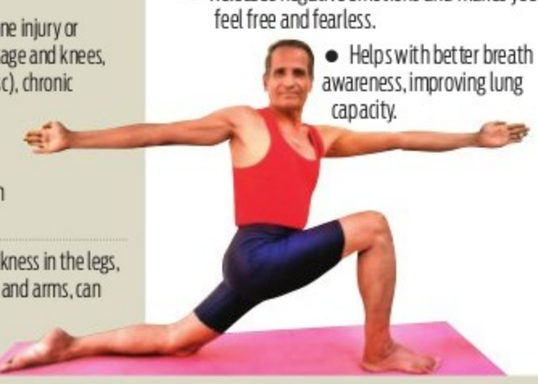
BENEFITS

- Develops stamina and endurance in legs.
- Benefits rock climbers and improves shape of the body.
- Prepares the body for more challenging poses.
- Promotes flexibility of back, hips, chest, and shoulders.
- Increases range of motion in all joints of the body.
- Spine lengthening will create space in the body.
- Stretches tight muscles like lower back, shoulders, psoas, hips, pelvis, and neck.
- Helps the body feel more relaxed and creates a sense of balance.
- Stimulates the abdominal region, strengthening Agni (digestive fire).
- Better digestion ensures the foods we eat are processed.
- Activates sacral chakra responsible for emotional expression.
- Releases negative emotions and makes you feel free and fearless.
- Helps with better breath awareness, improving lung capacity.

LIMITATIONS

People who have undergone injury or surgery to hips, chest, rib cage and knees, herniated disc (slipped disc), chronic inflammatory digestive issues, or SI joint dysfunction, high blood pressure, pregnant women avoid this.

People who have any weakness in the legs, core, hips, back, shoulders and arms, can use blankets or cushions.



By N Elumalai, PhD scholar (Yoga Science) at Meenakshi Academy of Higher Education & Research, Chennai

NOW STREAMING

REGIONAL

SARVAM SHAKTHI MAYAM (Hindi)

Once a class topper, struggling author Madhav's life is now dull with a dysfunctional family. As he takes the leap of faith and goes on a Maha Shakthipeeth darshan, will his life change?

Cast: Sanjay Suri, Priyamani, Samir Soni

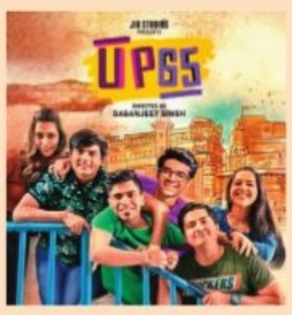
- **Watch On:** ZEE5

2018: EVERYONE IS A HERO (Malayalam)

It narrates the story of the devastating Kerala floods that occurred in 2018 when people from all walks of life came together to survive the calamity.

Cast: Tovino Thomas, Indrans, Kunchacko Boban

- **Watch On:** SonyLiv



BLOODY DADDY (Hindi)

A messed up, tenacious man faces off against cops and crime lords to save the one relationship that matters to him.

Cast: Shahid Kapoor, Amy Aela, Ankur Bhatia

- **Watch On:** Jio Cinema

UP65 (Hindi)

Set in the vibrant city of Banaras, UP65 showcases a humorous and heart-warming journey through the other side of student life at IIT BHU.

Cast: Pritam Jaiswal, Rishabh Jaiswal, Satyam Tiwari

- **Watch On:** Jio Cinema

UDEEKAN TERIYAN (Punjabi)

The movie revolves around two individuals who are looking for their missing partners. The story takes an interesting turn when they run into each other and share their stories. What happens next forms the plot of the movie.

Cast: Jaswinder Bhalla, Amar Noorie, Vindu Dara Singh

- **Watch On:** Amazon Prime Video

All the streaming apps can be accessed on smartphones and smart TVs with Internet connection.

MENTOO (Telugu)

It delves into a previously unexplored aspect of gender dynamics, spotlighting men's discrimination in different segments of society.

Cast: Naresh Aditya, Brahmaji, Harsha Chemudu

- **Watch On:** Aha

ANANTH ANAADIH VADNAGAR (Hindi, series)

The series brings Vadnagar to life through expert interviews, cutting-edge 3D visual effects, and a captivating narrative that weaves together its people, structures, and events.

Cast: Manoj Muntashir Shukla

- **Watch On:** discovery+

FOREIGN

NEVER HAVE I EVER (English, series)

The new season picks up minutes after Devi and Ben shut the door as they enter Ben's bedroom in the Season 3 finale. But if you assumed the pair would be basking in the afterglow, you'd be mistaken.

Cast: Maitreyi Ramakrishnan, Jaren Lewison

- **Watch On:** Netflix

JACK RYAN SEASON 4 (English, series)

The new season will feature the new CIA Acting Deputy Director unearthing a series of corrupt officials within the agency itself.

Cast: John Krasinski

- **Watch On:** Amazon Prime Video

AVATAR: THE WAY OF WATER (English)

Jake Sully and Ney'tiri have formed a family and are doing everything to stay together. However, they must leave their home and explore the regions of Pandora. When an ancient threat resurfaces, Jake must fight a difficult war against the humans.

Cast: Sam Worthington, Zoe Saldana, Sigourney Weaver

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THE LAKE (English, series)

Justin and Riley decide to make their relationship official. But their plans, along with the beloved boathouse, go up in flames. Carrying equal parts shame and blame, Justin sets out to prove his innocence, rebuild the heart of the lake, and win back the man he loves.

Cast: Jordan Gavaris, Julia Stiles

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BELIEF, BUDDHISM & BOOKS

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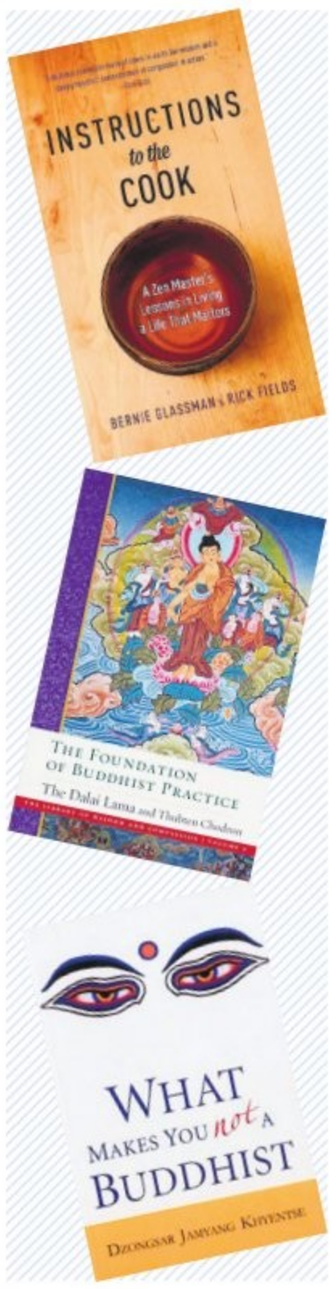
(The author is a technologist based in Silicon Valley who is gently mad about books)

I have been drawn to Buddhism because of its universality – everyone can relate to it and everyone can practise it. I don't consider myself a Buddhist by any means and my knowledge of Buddhism is entirely bookish. I have neither followed a monk nor done any extensive practice, but the message of Buddhism has helped me overcome my own suffering. The books that opened my eyes were given as gifts by my friends and are perfect for beginners – *What Makes You Not a Buddhist* by Dzongsar Jamyang Khyentse and *Instructions to the Cook* by Bernhard Glassman and Rick Fields.

Buddhism is not a religion. It is a very complex belief system that focuses on personal spiritual development. It does not consider Buddha as a god: rather, everyone can become a Buddha. There is no single holy text; instead, several scholars through history have contributed to a vast library of concepts. Buddhism is open to change, and it is dedicated only to the pursuit of truth. The central idea in Buddhism is that evil is measured by how much suffering it produces. The biggest cause of suffering is the ego and the most important thing is the ever-present now – working on ourselves in the moment, and letting go of the past and the future.

His Holiness the Dalai Lama is undoubtedly 'the authority' on the matter and his numerous books offer a clear vision of the Buddhist path. Approaching the Buddhist Path is the first of a trilogy compiled and coauthored by the Dalai Lama and the American Buddhist nun Thubten Chodron. In it, the authors explain every step of the path to enlightenment. It tells you about Buddhist history and introduces you to the fundamentals of Buddhism along with the Dalai Lama's personal experiences.


INSTRUCTIONS to the COOK
A Zen Master's Lessons in Living a Life That Matters
BERNIE GLASSMAN & RICK FIELDS
THE FOUNDATION OF BUDDHIST PRACTICE
The Dalai Lama and Thubten Chodron
WHAT MAKES YOU not A BUDDHIST
DZONGSAR JAMYANG KHYENTSE

The Foundation of Buddhist Practice is the second in the trilogy, which explains the key teachings to start the practice of the Dharma. The book offers a simple description of how to structure a meditation session, and of the appropriate relationship between the spiritual mentor and the student. It has a series of chapters on the law of Karma and the concepts of death and birth. *Samsara, Nirvana, and Buddha Nature* is the third volume, which gives information about the Four Noble Truths. The reader will learn how to improve personal practice with insightful and easy to apply methods, and learn about the mind's infinite potential through the teachings of Dzogchen.

Thich Nhat Hanh, one of the most famous Buddhist monks and peace activists, has written over 130 books and is considered the father of the mindfulness movement (Martin Luther King Jr. nominated him for the Nobel Peace Prize in 1967). His *The Heart of the Buddha's Teaching* serves as a guide for transforming your suffering into peace and joy. It covers significant Buddhist teachings such as The Four Noble Truths and The Noble Eightfold Path. If you are someone who holds on to anger and hurt, this book will help you find relief.

If you want to know about the life and teachings of Gautama Buddha then I would recommend *Old Path White Clouds*. Drawn directly from 24 Pali, Sanskrit, and Chinese sources, and retold by Thich Nhat Hanh in his inimitably beautiful style, this book traces the Buddha's life slowly and gently over the course of 80 years, partly through the eyes of Svasti, the buffalo boy, and partly through the eyes of the Buddha himself. *Old Path White Clouds* has become a classic of spiritual literature since its publication in 1991.

I believe that Buddhism is as relevant today as it was 2,500 years ago. If we understand the truths – that life is full of suffering, and that the path to overcoming suffering is through compassion and wisdom – then we can all find happiness and peace in our lives.

MAKING YOUTUBE ADS WORK FOR YOU!!

HRIDAY RANJAN
Urban Bourbon

(Writer, comedian)

AS an aspiring journalist, I wanted to write about important issues – wars, politics, and healthcare. But will I be able to explain pathos like Arundhati Roy? Or analyse politics like Shekhar Gupta? Most importantly, what about the smaller issues that plague us? Who speaks about the mundane, everyday problems of people? Like YouTube ads, for example!

For the longest time, I paid YouTube a premium to avoid their ads. Till I found hacks around it. A different browser, an extension, or an add-on tool created by a developer in Serbia. I once even changed my Ad Settings to 'Ukraine' so that the ads would be new to me. At ₹129 a month, the amount isn't too steep. Smokers calculate the price of things in terms of cigarettes, so it's a case of seven cigarettes. But my issues are ideological. I have spent a substantial time of my life on YouTube. I have used it to learn standup comedy, the guitar, swimming, and writing. I have given the website my time in happiness and sorrow. I find it atrocious that they would ask me to pay up to avoid ads.

In the TV era, advertisements were made generically for a billion people. If you watched an ad for Itch Guard, you understood that it was something the nation was going through. After Covid, even soaps and shampoos are promising protection and immunity. Fintech apps have taken over the most plum spot for advertising – during the IPL. These ads are a mirror to the economy – a young nation with disposable income. If TV ads are a mirror to the economy, personalised ads are mirrors into your soul. If you get an ad for a pull-up machine, it is because you have spent considerable time looking for them. If you're watching TV with friends, they get a little peek into your life. They know for example, that you've been looking for comfortable briefs, or beard growth oil!

TV ads give you a chance to praise or diss them as a collective experience. Ads are powerful, nostalgic time-machines. The ZooZoo ads for example are a crucial part in the 2011 World Cup memories. But with personalised ads, one can't even complain to others about the terrible nature of ads. Sometimes, you want to watch a song, and another whole song will feature as the ad. Then there are 'skippable' and 'unskippable' ads.

If a dog is man's best friend, YouTube is a writer's worst enemy. For most people, YouTube is something you go to after a long day's work. YouTube is a veritable Mirror of Erised – where you watch things that you're interested in. But for writers, YouTube is a black hole. A few clicks, and you're transported into the worlds of Bukowski and Dostoevsky. But keep loitering around, and you will find yourself staring at two Indonesian teenagers digging up a swimming pool inside a forest.

YouTube is a hydra-headed monster that eats up everything in its sight. But now I have learnt to treat a YouTube ad as an entry barrier. When an ad plays, I ask myself – is it really worth sitting through this ad? Do I really want to watch a woman cursing her departed husband for not taking term insurance? Is the video I want to watch really worth subjecting myself to another motivational speaker selling a webinar to transform my life? With a simple switch, I was able to make YouTube ads my friend. They now act as Master Shifu, preventing me from watching yet another video of MasterChef. I now wait for the ads to play out, adopting Buddha's Middle Path to waste time on the Internet!

(The writer's views are his own)

NUGGETS

New season of *Impact Winter* to premiere on July 13

Audible Inc., creator and provider of audio storytelling, Skybound Entertainment, and media company Anonymous Content announced the cast and premiere date for the second season of the post-apocalyptic drama *Impact Winter*, which will premiere on July 13. *Impact Winter* debuted in February 2022 as the No.1 Audible Plus bestseller across all categories and the No.1 Audible Original fiction bestseller in its first week, as well as the No.3 fiction place on Apple podcast charts.

Book talk on June 16

Atta Galatta in collaboration with HarperCollins is holding a talk by **Asha Sahay Choudhry** on the book *The War Diary of Asha-San*, on June 16, 5.30pm. Written in Japanese between 1943 and 1947, and translated into English for the first time by Tanvi Srivastava, *The War Diary of Asha-San* is a memoir of courage, honour and love, by a young girl who must grow up quickly in the midst of war. At the event, you will have a chance to meet Lieutenant Bharati 'Asha' Sahay Choudhry of the INA's Rani of Jhansi Regiment. Author Anita Nair and translator Srivastava will be in conversation with Asha and her son, Sanjay Choudhry.

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PUBLIC NOTICE
CHANGE OF NAME

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Prajwal Verma, S/o Late Pradeep Kumar Verma, residing at No. 101, 1st Floor, Maha Greeva Apartment, New BEL Road, Behind Bank of Baroda, RMV 2nd Stage, Bengaluru–560094 have changed my name from PRAJWAL to PRAJWAL VERMA vide Affidavit dated 12-06-2023 sworn before Notary S.R. Ravikumar.**

CHANGE OF NAME
I, VIJAITA UJJVAL, W/O ADITYANANDAN, aged about 41 years, (Date of Birth: 11.06.1982) residing at # 41, Sri Chayadevi Temple, Hosakere Grama, Maragondanahalli, Sulikere Post, Kengeri Hobli, Bengaluru-560 060, have changed my name from **SAVITHRAMMA** to **VIJAITA UJJVAL**, vide affidavit dated 12/6/2023 sworn to before M. Rajendra advocate and notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **MAHANTESH HANAMASAGAR,** S/o Hullappa Kalingappa Hanamasagar, aged 42 years, R/at No. 95, 3rd Cross, 2nd Main, Saraswathipuram, Nandini Layout, Bengaluru-560096, have changed my name to **MAHANTESH HULLAPPA HANAMASAGAR**, vide affidavit dated 12-06-2023, before Notary **B.V. NAGABHUSHANA**, Bangalore..

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **ANWAR SHARIFF ABDUL KHALAQ** R/at No.1654, Rayappa Layout, Near Elahi Masjid, Venkateshpuram, Bangalore- 560045, have changed my name to **ANWAR SHARIFF** vide affidavit dated: 5/6/2023 Before Notary **N.Nagappa** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **NITIN S NAIR**, D/o J. Suresh Kumar, age 24 years, R/o Prasanthi 8/178, Sreekaryam Akkulam Road, Sreekarvam, Cheruvaykkal, Thiruvananthapuram, Sreekaryam, Kerala-695 017, presently R/at No. 11, Manjunatha Layout, Naganathapura, Rayasandra, Benglauru-560 100, Karnataka, India do hereby declare that both the names i.e. **NITIN S NAIR** S/o J. Suresh Kumar and **ARYA VISHWAROOP** (Transgender) D/o J. Suresh Kumar are one and the same and refers to me only and I was born on 27-07-1998, vide affidavit dated 13-6-2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **ANITHA BAI** at Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME
I, ANKUR S/o Brahamadeo Dubey, aged about 35 years, residing at No.B606, Durga Rainbow Apartment, Mahadevpura Outer Ring Road, Bangalore -48.
I have changed my name from **"ANKUR" to "ANKUR DUBEY,"** vide Affidavit Dated:**13/06/2023** sworn to before **Jayappa.A.** Advocate & Notary at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, YAMUNA B V, Residing at No.2125/15, Spoorthy Nilaya, 3rd Main Road, Vijayanagar 2nd Stage, Bangalore-560040, Karnataka India, declare that I have changed the name of my Minor Son from VISHAL SUDHAN H M (Old Name) to VISHAL MUKUND H M (New Name), henceforth my Son shall be known and called as VISHAL MUKUND H M (New Name) only for all purpose, vide Affidavit dated: 12/06/2023 before Notary Hegde Ganapati Venkatraman, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **VALLI K**, W/o. P. Krishna, Date of Birth is 15/06/1979, residing at No. 208, Krishna Nivas, Near St. Paul High School, Andhra Muniyappa Layout, Challakere, Kalyananagar Post, Bangalore - 560 043, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **PERIYAMMAL M** to **VALLI K** and Vide affidavit dated 13.06.2023 sworn to before B. Hanumantharaya, Advocate & Notary, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, SERVICE NO 15332741W HAV R. SURESHA, of unit: CIW, DEPOT BN, MEG & CENTRE, BANGALORE, KARNATAKA STATE, Pin: 560042, Have Changed My Son Name **(OLD NAME) MOHAN.S** to **(NEW NAME) S. MOHAN** Vide Affidavit Dated 12.06.2023 Sworn Before Notary MEER HASSAN BANGALORE.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, RAVI KUMAR.A, S/o. Late C.Ashwatha Reddy, aged about 57 years, R/o. No. 202,D-Block, Sahakaranagar, Bangalore 560092, have changed my name from **RAVI KUMAR. A** to **RAVIKUMAR YADAV.A,** vide affidavit dated 12/6/2023 sworn to before G. Dayananda advocate and notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Dr. Swapna Singh Chauhan** W/o Dr. Amit Verma, aged about 39 years, residing at C K 59/13, Nichibagh, Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh, India-221001 have changed my name from **Swapna Singh Chauhan** to **Dr. Swapna Singh Verma**, vide Affidavit dated 12.06.2023 sworn to before **B. Hanumantharaya,** Advocate and Notary, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **R. SELVARAJ**, S/o Rangaswamy, aged about 66 years, R/at No. 01, 7th Main, 7th Cross, Behind Ganesha Temple, Gandhinagar, Kengeri SatelliteTown, Bangalore-560060, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **CHALUVARAJ .R** to **R. SELVARAJ**, henceforth I shall be known and called as **R. SELVARAJ** only, vide affidavit dated 09-06-2023, Sworn before Advocate and Notary **D. GUNA SHEKAR** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **AGNIES GLADIES PERIERA,** legally wedded spouse of No. 1227417K, EX-NK Dominic Leo Pereira, R/at No. 51/64, Giana Mansion, Queens Valley Residential Layout, TVS Ballur Road, Attibele, Bengaluru-562107, have changed my name from **AGNIES GLADIES PERIERA** to **AGNES GLADIES PEREIRA**, vide affidavit dated 13-06-2023 before Notary **L. GOPALAKRISHNA,** Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SHRINIVASA SHETTY (New Name)** S/o Bhujanga Shetty Previously called SHRINIVASA (Old Name) and resident at Flat # 202, 3rd floor BSR Raj Meridian, Roopena Agrahara near Bommanahalli Metro station Bommanahalli, Bangalore - 560068. I have changed my name from **"SHRINIVASA "** to **"SHRINIVASA SHETTY "** In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my SSLC Marks Card have mentioned **Wrong date of Birth as 01.06.1989. my Correct date of Birth 12/10/1990.**
Affidavit Dated: **24/05/2023** sworn to before **Deepa M**, Advocate & Notary at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, YAMUNA B V, Residing at No.2125/15, Spoorthy Nilaya, 3rd Main Road, Vijayanagar 2nd Stage, Bangalore-560040, Karnataka India, declare that I have changed the name of my Minor Daughter from RISHITHA SUDHAN H M (Old Name) to RAGHAVI LALITA H M (New Name), henceforth my Daughter shall be known and called as RAGHAVI LALITA H M (New Name) only for all purpose, vide Affidavit dated : 12/06/2023 before Notary Hegde Ganapati Venkatraman, Bangalore.

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CHANGE OF NAME
I, SERVICE NO JC-311509L SUB CHANDRA SEKARAN of unit: 1(T) Compo Tech Regt NCC, 1-7-1789 Srinivas Nagar, Balasamudram, Hanumkond, Warangal, TELANGANA (state), Pin:506001, Have Changed My Mother Name **(OLD NAME) SUBBALXMI** to **(NEW NAME) SUBBULAKSHMI LINGAARAJ,** Vide Affidavit Dated 12.06.2023 Sworn Before Notary MEER HASSAN BANGALORE.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SUSHMA RAJOLLI,** D/o Ganapatisa, aged about 27 years, residing at Hosapetegalli, near Markhandeshwara Temple, Ward No.4, Ilkal-587 125, Dist. Bagalkot, today at Bengaluru, have changed my name from **SUSHMA GANAPATISA RAJOLLI** to **SUSHMA RAJOLLI**, vide affidavit dated 12/6/2023 sworn to before Prakasha. C advocate and notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **ALEYAMMA .V.K** W/o Late V.C. Abraham, aged about 79 years, R/at No. 1839, 21st Main, A-Block, AECS Layout, Singasandra, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore-560068, have changed my name to **ELSY ABRAHAM** after my marriage with V.C. ABRAHAM, vide affidavit dated 08-06-2023 before Advocate and Notary **K.C. CHOWDE GOWDA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **AMMAJAMMA .T,** W/o Dibbanna, age 38 years, R/at No. 9-64, Alada Palli, Amarapuram, Ananthapuram District, Andhra Pradesh-515 281, now at Bangalore do hereby declare that my correct name is **AMMAJAMMA .T** but in my Aadhar Card, my name is wrongly mentioned as **ROOPA** instead of **AMMAJAMMA .T**, vide affidavit dated 9-6-2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **K.V. BACHI REDDY** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **DEEKSHA PRASANNA KRISHNAN** (New Name), D/o. PRASANNA KRISHNA SHIVARAM, aged 20 years, Residing at NO.162, SOWVARNIKA, 16TH-B-MAIN, WEST OF KODIHALLI, J.B.NAGAR, BENGALURU NORTHH, HAL 2ND STAGE, BENGALURU-560008, KARNATAKA,declare that I have changed my name from **DEEKSHA PRASANNA KRISHNA** (Old Name) to **DEEKSHA PRASANNA KRISHNAN** (New Name), henceforth I shall be known and called as **DEEKSHA PRASANNA KRISHNAN** (New Name) for all my personal, official & legal purpose, vide Affidavit dated : 13/06/2023 before Notary **GANGARAJU.B.N.** at BENGALURU

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **ARATI V NAIK,** W/o, B N Venkatachala, aged about 61 years, Residing at, No.199, 7th Main, BSK 5th Stage, Near National Public School, Uttarahalli, Subramanyapura Post, Bengaluru-560061, have changed my name from **ARATI NAIK** (Old Name) to **ARATI V NAIK** (New Name), vide affidavit dated: 13-06-2023, sworn before Advocate & Notary, K.V. Prema Kumari, Bangalore. Initial **'V'** stands for **VITTHAL RAO** (Father Name).

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SUSHUMNA KRISHNAN SHASTRI,** previously called **SUSHUMNA KRISHNAN SRINIVASAN,** W/o Anup Parameshwar Kerudi, Aged about 39 years, R/at Ortus-2, B110, B Block, 1st Floor, Lakshmi Narayanaswamy Temple Road, Amruthhalli, Bengaluru-560092. Hereby declare that, I have changed my name from **'SUSHUMNA KRISHNAN SRINIVASAN'** to **"SUSHUMNA KRISHNAN SHASTRI"** vide Affidavit dated 13.06.2023, Sworn before Advocate and Notary Ramachandrappa.C. Bengaluru.

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I **Keerthi T J**, aged about 22 year, D/o N S Jagadish residing at Bylakuppe Post, Haranahalli Hobli, Periyapatna Taluk, Thirumalapura, Mysore-571104, I state that my Correct Name **KEERTHI T J** as per Aadhar Card, but EPFO Document **T S KIRTHI,** I hereby declare that both **KEERTHI T J and T S KIRTHI** are one and same, Vide Affidavit dated 12/06/2023 before Notary Harish.G, BA,LLB, Advocate & Notary Public, Raghava Nagar, Mysore Road, Bangalore-26

CHANGE OF NAME
We,(1)Parthasarathy.M.R,S/o M. Muninarayana aged about 55 years (2) Anthony P. Mala, W/o Parthasarathy. M. R, aged about 50 years both are residing at No.792, 76th A Cross, 6th Block, Rajajinagara, Bengaluru, Karnataka-560 010, that our children's names have been changed as the first female child named as **"ADITHI.P.A"** instead of **"AMSHVLA.P.A"** the second female child name as **"ADVITHI.P.A"** instead of **"AKHILA.P.A",** vide affidavit dated 8/6/2023 Sworn to before Prakasha. C advocate and notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Sujoy Hary S**, S/o Sunil Harry B.M residing at No.144, Sadguru Layout, 6th F cross, Hesaraghatta Main Road, Kanshiram Nagar, Bangalore - 560097 have changed my name to **Sujoy Harry S.** vide affidavit dated: 12.6.2023 Sworn before notary D.S.Chandrakanth, Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **NIKITHA KUMARI RAJESH KUMAR** W/o **Rajesh Kumar,** R/at House No.26, Sohan Villa, Govindappa Road, Basavanagudi, Bengaluru-560004, have changed my name to **NIKITHA DEVI** vide affidavit dated: 12/6/2023 Before Notary **Smt.Vatsala** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **HUSSAIN MANSURALI TALVADI** (New Name), S/o MANSURBHAI ABBASALI TALVADI, Aged about 33 years, Resident at NO.2006, NANDI PARK APARTMENT, GOTTIGERE, BANNERGHATTA MAIN ROAD, BENGALURU-560083, KARNATAKA, declare that I have changed my name from **HUSSAINALI MANSURBHAI TALVADI** (Old Name) to **HUSSAIN MANSURALI TALVADI** (New Name), henceforth I shall be known and called as **HUSSAIN MANSURALI TALVADI** (New Name) for all my personal, official & legal purpose, vide Affidavit dated: 13/06/2023 before Notary **L.GOPALAKRISHNA,** at BENGALURU

NAME DECLARATION
I, **Ramamurthy .R,** Aged about 49 years, S/o Sri. Ramaiah, R/at No.35, 2nd Cross, Attiguppe, Bangalore North, Vijayanagar, Bengaluru-560040, I State that my Father name is entered as **"Ramaiah"** in my school Records, and my father name entered as **"Ramappa"** in my Aadhar, Pan Card, Election Card and other documents. Hereby declare that, both the name i.e. **"Ramaiah"** and **"Ramappa"** are belongs to my father name only, vide Affidavit dated 12.06.2023, sworn Before Advocate and Notary **C. Srinivas,** at Bangalore.

AFFIDAVIT
I, **SAINATH RAVI CHANDRA PARDESHI,** S/o. Ravi Chandra Pariyalwar Pardeshi, # 494, Basweshwara Nilaya, Muneshwara Layout, 5th Cross Road, Devinagar, Bangalore - 560 094, do hereby declare that my correct name is **SAINATH RAVI CHANDRA PARDESHI.** I hereby declare that **PARDESHI SAINATH RAVI** and **SAINATH RAVI CHANDRA PARDESHI** both the names are mine only. Vide affidavit dated 13.06.2023 sworn to before K.V. Nanjaiah, Advocate & Notary Public, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, No **10490167N** Rank **BHM** Name **K KARUPPAIAH,** resident at VILL-VENGANAGARAM. POST - AMARATAKKI, TEHSIL – AVADAYAR KOIL, DISTRICT - PUDUKOTTAI, STATE – TAMIL NADU, PIN - 614618 have changed my Name from **K KARUPPAIAH** to **KARUPPAIAH K** vide Affidavit dated 30 May 2023 before Sivakumara M.N. Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SRINIVAS BASAVARAJAPPA CHATTNALLI,** S/o Basavarajappa, aged about 49 years, R/at No. 008, I-Tower, Mantri Alpyne, Kengeri, Uttarahalli Main Road, B.S.K. 5th Stage, Bengaluru-560061, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **SRINIVAS** to **SRINIVAS BASAVARAJAPPA CHATTNALLI,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **SRINIVAS BASAVARAJAPPA CHATTNALLI** only, vide affidavit dated 07-06-2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **GANGARAJU .B.N** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **AJAYKUMAR BANGUR,** R/of No. NS 403, Shiram Surabhi, Off Kanakapura Road, Malasandra, Thalaghattapura, Bengaluru-560062, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **AJAY KUMAR** to **AJAYKUMAR BANGUR,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **AJAYKUMAR BANGUR** only, vide affidavit dated 13-06-2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **G.R. RAJANNA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **IQBAL ARJUMAN,** W/o Syed Ismail, R/at No. 119, Broadshaw Street, 3rd Cross, Neharupuram, Bengaluru, Karnataka-560001, have changed my name from **IQBAL ARJUMAN** to **ARJUMAN,** vide affidavit dated 12-06-2023 before Notary **GANGARAJU .B.N** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **N. KUSUMA BAI** W/o Raja Rao Age about 46 years. Residential address: No. 1 West Park Road, 7th Cross, Malleswaram, Bangalore - 560003, Karnataka India Changed my name from **N. KUSUMA BAI** to **N. KUSUMA RAJARAO** vide affidavit dated 13/6/2023 sworn before notary Manohar Jeerige Reg No. 2941 Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, M. SHIVAKUMAR s/o Late. P. Mahadevaiah, aged about 48 years, residing at no.6/4, 16th Cross, 5th Main Road, K.P Agrahara, Bhuvaneshwarinagar, Magadi Road, Bengaluru-560 023, My Name has been started as Shivakumar.S instead of M. Shivakumar vide affidavit dated 07.06. 2023 Sworn before notary V. Rajashekara.

CHANGE OF NAME
We, (1) **SHASHANK M** S/o. Manjunatha .B, Aged about 30 years, (2) **INCHARA .R,** W/o. Shashank .M, Aged about 24 years, both are residing at No. 827-J, 18th Cross, MEI Layout, Bagalgunte, Nagasandra, Bengaluru - 560 073, do hereby declare that we have changed our minor son's name from **THARAK .S** to **RUTHVIK .S** vide affidavit dated 21.3.2023 sworn to before Dr. R.S. Vijay, Notary Public, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

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The past few years have been a testament to my dedication: Sanjana Burli

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SANJANA Burli, known for her popular teleserial *Puttakkanna Makalu*, is raring to make a mark in the Kannada film industry. The aspiring actor, recently starred in her third film, *Radha Searching Ramana Missing*, which hit theatres a couple of weeks back. Directed by M N Srikanth, the romantic drama is receiving positive responses. In an interview with *CE*, Sanjana mentioned that she shot this film before the Covid pandemic, right after taking her first step into the acting world. "Despite having no film background or connections in the industry, my sheer passion for acting since childhood brought me to the glamorous world of cinema," says Sanjana, who managed to simultaneously complete her engineering while working in films. "The past few years have been a testament to my dedication. I have already finished shooting for five films, and *Radha Searching Ramana Missing* is my third release. Now, I want to take my time and carefully choose the right characters," Sanjana reveals.

Backed by Savitha Mysore Eshwar, under the Saanvi Picture and Animations banner, the cast includes mostly newcomers like Raghav as the lead, Darshan Puttanaiah, Yamuna Srinidhi, Latha Girish, Gopinath Bhat, Chirag, Pradeep Tiptur, and Guru Hegde appearing in important characters. Meanwhile, her next project, *Non-Veg*, is currently in the final stages of post-production.

ANY REVOLUTION IS A WRITER'S INSPIRATION: RAJ B SHETTY

Writer-actor-director unveils first look motion poster as he discusses *Toby*, which is billed as a big production venture, set for August 25 release

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RAJ B Shetty has carved a niche for himself in the Kannada industry with his unique storytelling and distinctive filmmaking style. After the success of *Ondu Motteya Kathe*, the actor-director followed it up with *Garuda Gamana Vrishabha Vahana*. While he has completed shooting for *Swati Mutthina Male Haniye*, which is currently in the post-production stage, he has also been simultaneously working on another project, titled *Toby*, which is now gearing up for release.

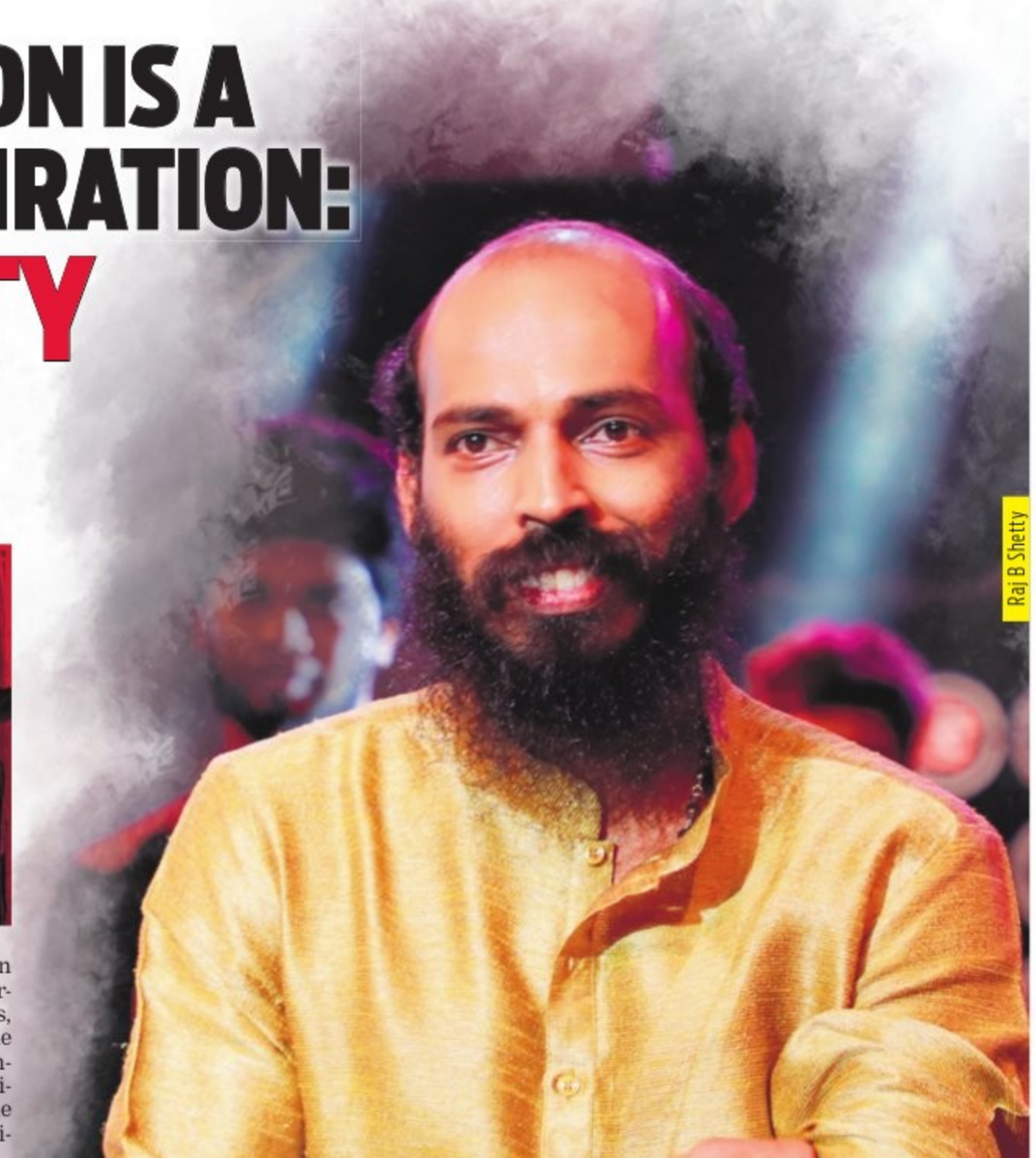
"The moment we have all been eagerly waiting for has arrived – the 'Beast', Make way for Maari! The beast that brought out the best in us! Presenting to you, #TOBY," wrote Raj as he announced the release date to be August 25. While Raj has written the story, TK Dayanand has written the screenplay. Raj also headlines the project and weilded the megaphone along with Basil Alchalakkal, who makes his directorial debut with this film.

The first look of *Toby* featured a nose-ring sporting angry goat. Explaining the underlying theme of the story, Raj, who plays the titular role says, "The tagline 'Mari Mari... Marige Daari' holds great significance to our film. The poster of *Toby* represents a goat, which symbolises an animal traditionally offered as a sacrifice to the Gods. What if the goat itself becomes a Maari? That's what the attached nose ring signifies. To put it simply, you can push a man to his limits, but when pushed too far, assuming he is meek or weak like a sheep, he will pounce back, and with a strong reaction. The concept of Maari is not limited to any gender; it represents energy that is incredibly powerful." When asked why he always plays characters based on reality, Raj says, "At one point, we become the judgment we project onto others. This is a personal experience that I went through. The theme was there, and the experience synced."

Delving into the creative process, Raj says, "I took the issue of my baldness and made *Ondu Motteya Kathe*. My second film was based on the experience of how the success of my debut changed the power dynamics, which led to making *Garuda Gamana Vrishabha Vahana*. When I wrote *Swati Mutthina Male Haniye*, it was inspired by the bond I share with my mother. A writer cannot pen thoughts without drawing from their own experiences. Any revolution is a writer's inspiration, and that's how *Toby* came about."

Interestingly, *Toby* distributed by KVN Productions, is a big-budget production, backed by Lighter Buddha Films in association with Agastya Films and Coffee Gang Studios.

While Mithun Mukundan is in charge of the music direction, Praveen Shriyan handles cinematography and editing. The film also stars Samyukta Horanad, Chaitra Achar, Gopalakrishna Deshpande, and Deepak Raj Shetty.



Raj B Shetty

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'I played a variation of *The Joker* much before *The Dark Knight*'

How will the film being available on OTT affect the theatrical footfalls?
If multiplexes had played this film, I'm confident that we would have seen packed houses. I have had people tell me that they have seen *Bandaa*... twice on OTT and that they are still willing to catch it in a theatre. I don't think people will mind buying the tickets for the big-screen experience.

This is your 30th year in films. I am reminded of your start in Shekhar Kapur's *Bandit Queen*, on the sets of which you met the dacoit Maan Singh, whose role you were essaying...
It was actually bizarre for me (laughs) that Maan Singh looked very different from the photographs I had seen in the book (India's Bandit Queen: The True Story of Phoolan Devi by Mala Sen) on which the film was based. When he met us, he had just been released from jail and looked healthy in a khadi kurta pyjama. He and I even shared a room, and he was part of all the post-shoot get-togethers where we cooked, drank and talked. He told me about the time he and dacoit Phoolan Devi were on the run and how they came close to my village in Bihar's West Champaran district, another area filled with dacoits. He said, "Manoj, we Chambal bandits had some principles, but the dacoits of your area were more gruesome and lived by no code." We discussed the cultural differences between the daakus of Madhya Pradesh and Bihar. He told me that enmity among dacoits lasted for generations. I observed that he wasn't happy after being released from prison. Whenever we travelled to the shooting spot, he had the habit of inspecting the road. "Once a bandit, always a bandit," he said.

Five years after playing a dacoit, you essayed the role of the straight-arrow cop Samar Pratap Singh in *Shool* (1999). At the time, it seemed like this character rang true to your real-life personality...
No, not at all. I am nothing like Samar. He is young and takes his moral science lessons seriously. He wants to live his life by the principles he has been taught in the classroom. I always felt that Samar Pratap Singh was an idiot who didn't understand that sometimes to achieve your goal, you have to take two steps backwards. I was more of a rebel. When I started out, I didn't agree with the way the industry was functioning, how the heroes needed to have a certain look and how the villains and character actors were being treated. It made me angry, but I quickly realized my rage was coming in the way of achieving my goals and decided to work on it. I am and was smarter than Samar.

In *Aks* (2001), you played a psychopathic killer Raghavan who, in his introductory shot, unmasks himself. In a scene, where you are being interrogated by Amitabh Bachchan's righteous cop, you speak of society and rules, and how without it, everybody would become evil. This is eerily similar to the interrogation scene between Batman and *The Joker* in *The Dark Knight*, a film that was released in 2008...
I am so happy you mentioned this. My friends and I always discuss how we were the first ones to come up with a character similar to The Joker. If we had said this, people might have called us pompous. It took me six to seven months to craft the character of Raghavan. I had the task of embodying absolute evil. The dialogues given to me were in English, so I improvised with the Hindi dialogues. I approached the character with flamboyance. I remember I was in Atlanta in the US when I was preparing for the character. I was sitting in a bar, and I saw these alcohol bottles that seemed so alluring from the outside, though they contained something that is toxic. I got it then. Evil needed to be attractive.

It seems like you tend to take method acting, sometimes, a little too far. It's said that you almost got yourself killed while shooting for *Gali Guleiyan* (2017). What happened there?
I don't think I can ever do anything similar to what I did for that role then. And yes, I did take it too far. When I read the script, I felt it wouldn't work unles I pushed myself completely. I started living in the dilapidated house where the film was being shot. I refused to eat well and didn't get enough rest. I went into a hole, mentally. I still remember, on the 28th day of the shoot, I told the director (Dipesh Jain) that I was hearing whistles in my ear. A doctor was called and prescribed anxiety medication. That's when I got some sleep. Even after the shoot, I couldn't take the character out of my system. I remember I went to the wrap-up party, had a few glasses of wine, came back home, and slept. I used to sleep a lot after I was done with *Gali Guleiyan*. That's how I calmed down.

At this age, does such a role feel physically and mentally taxing?
It is, but I am unable to do chor bazaari (cheating) with the craft. I am passionate about acting. For *Bandaa*... I rehearsed the final courtroom scene about 150 times. Actually, I don't like anything else apart from being on set and facing the camera.

You have stated in the past that your wife is your biggest critic. Has she seen your performance in *Mrs Serial Killer*?
She has.

Do you feel like that about your three decades in the industry?
I think in these 30 years, two things have worked in my favour. I am a believer, so I would say God has blessed me. Secondly, I think I have a lot of patience. I could go on and on, with the same amount of vigour and aggression, as I wait for my turn.

Shalivahana Shake is a time loop film set in a village: Director Girish

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GIRISH, an engineer-turned-filmmaker, started out with short films and made a solid mark in his directorial debut, *Ond Kathe Hella*. After following it up with *Wow*, he is now awaiting the release of his third film, *Shalivahana Shakhe*.

Girish has worked on a unique time loop concept, combining Indian mythology with quantum physics, for *Shalivahana Shake*. The film, certified U/A, is set to release in August.

"The blend of Indian mythology and time loop, set in a village backdrop, makes it truly distinctive," explains Girish.

With Girish himself playing the lead role, *Shalivahana Shakhe* produced by Shylesh Kumar M under the Side Wing Cinemas banner, features Supreeetha Sathyanarayan as the heroine. The music is handled by Hari Ajay and Karthik, while Arun Sureh takes charge of the cinematography. Additionally, Girish is currently involved with Arjun Janya's *45* starring Shivarajkumar, Upendra and Raj B Shetty as part of the directorial team and is also preparing for his fourth directorial venture, *First Day First Show*, which is currently in production.

Team *Shalivahana Shakhe*

Sophie Thatcher to star in sci-fi thriller Companion

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ACTOR Sophie Thatcher, who rose to fame through the American television series, *Yellowjackets*, Joined the acts of the upcoming sci-fi thriller *Companion*. Written and helmed by Drew Hancock, marking his directorial debut, the film also stars Jack Quaid, Lukas Gage, Megan Suri and Harvey Guillén.

Companion will be produced by Zach Cregger, who previously wrote and helmed the 2022 American horror thriller film Barbarian. Cregger is co-producing the feature along with Raphael Margules and J.D. Lifshitz of BoulderLight Pictures.

Earlier, *Companion* was planned to serve as a follow-up to Barbarian. Later, Zach Cregger shifted to focus on his own script, Weapons, which is set to feature Renate Reinsve and Pedro Pascal. However, the Barbarian team helped *Companion* and backed Hancock to make his directorial debut.

Apart from Yellowjackets, Sophie Thatcher's popular acting credits include, *The Boogeyman, Blink, The Book of Boba Fett*, and *The Exorcist*.